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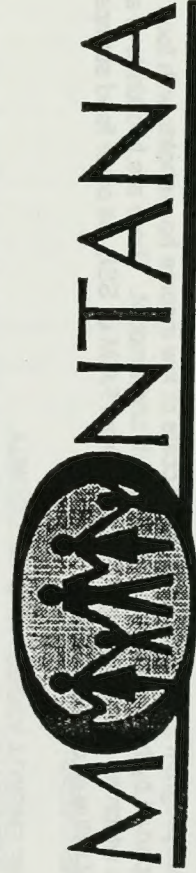
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EXPLANATION OF PROGRAMS

FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA (FAIM): Consist of three programs: Job Supplement Program (JSP) provides options to a cash grant such as Medicaid coverage, child care assistance or a one-time employment-related payment; Pathways Program a time limited monthly cash grant and opportunities leading to self-sufficiency; and Community Services Program (CSP) a cash assistance program designed for individuals who have used all of their Pathways benefits but have not achieved self-sufficiency.

FOOD STAMPS (FS): This program supplements the food costs of low income households with food stamps that are redeemable for groceries. This data is reported by household (case), recipient, and amount. There are two kinds of assistance: Public-Assistance -- food stamp households in which all members receive income from FAIM or SSI. All other food stamps are considered Non-Assistance. Amounts reflect the actual value of coupons issued.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID)*: Payment of medical costs for FAIM and SSI individuals and families, and for others who qualify. Each person is counted as a case. Cases are unduplicated by county and by state. For example, if a case moves between counties, the case would be counted in both counties, but only once in the state total. For Table 6 'Child' refers to children under 19 years of age and is comprised of FAIM, Foster care, Ribicoff, Poverty level infant, and Subsidized adoption children.

LOW INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (LIEAP): Direct payment to fuel vendors for heating on behalf of low income families and senior citizens. The season runs from October 1 through April 30.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION: Evaluation, counseling, training, medical and an array of other services to people with physical and mental disabilities which constitutes or results in a substantial impediment to employment and the person requires and can benefit from vocational rehabilitation services to enter, engage, or retain gainful employment.

VISUAL SERVICES: Evaluation, counseling, training, medical treatment, orientation and mobility services, and special low-vision aides to assist the visually impaired become as independent as possible.

DAY CARE: There are four FAIM related child care programs. All of the programs are designed to help FAIM eligible or potentially eligible families become or remain self-sufficient. Clients must either be working or attending approved education or training activities and in some cases must pay a copayment.

* Cases, recipients, and payments are derived from agency payrolls.

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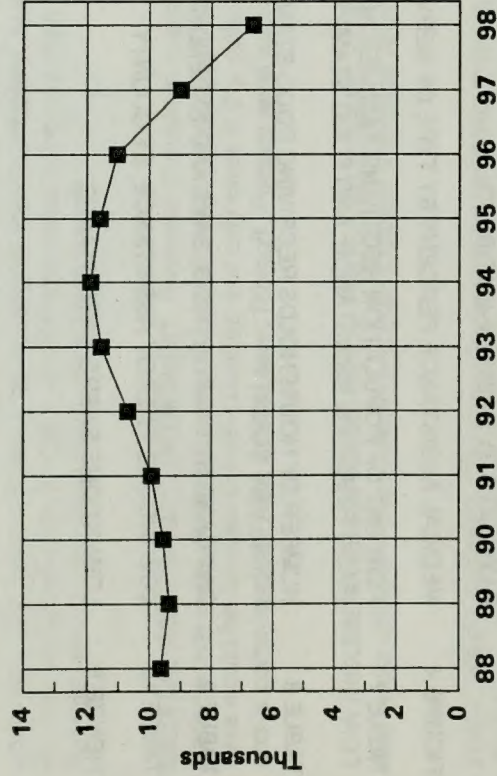
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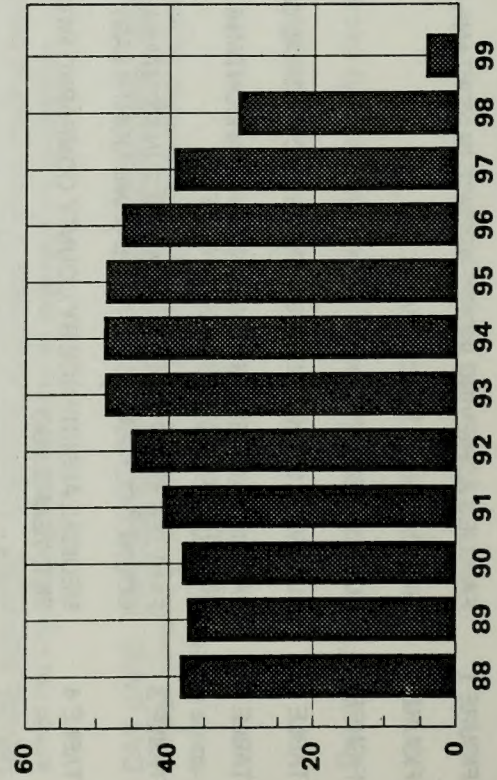
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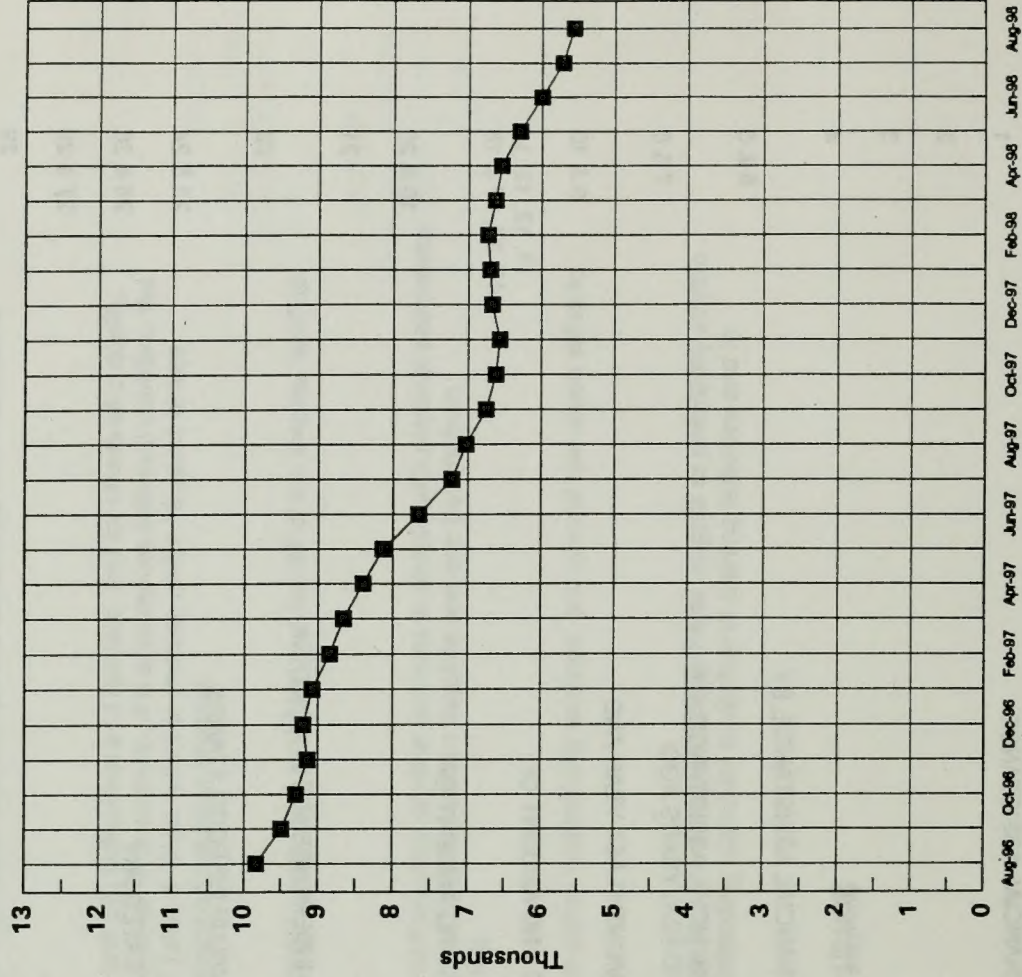
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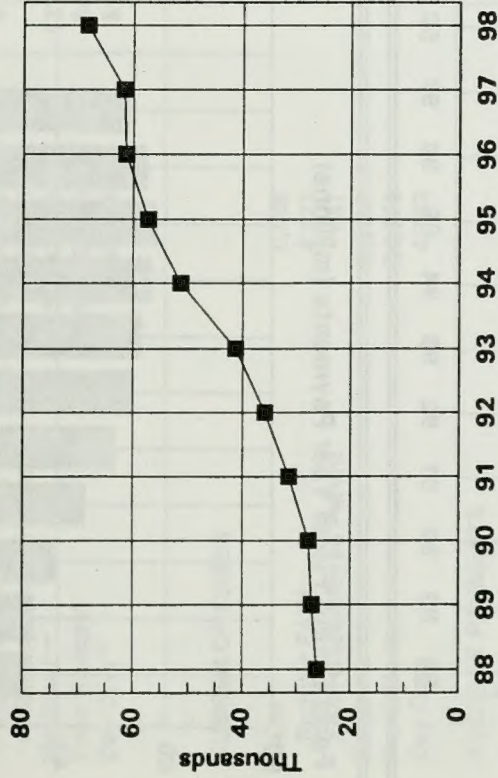
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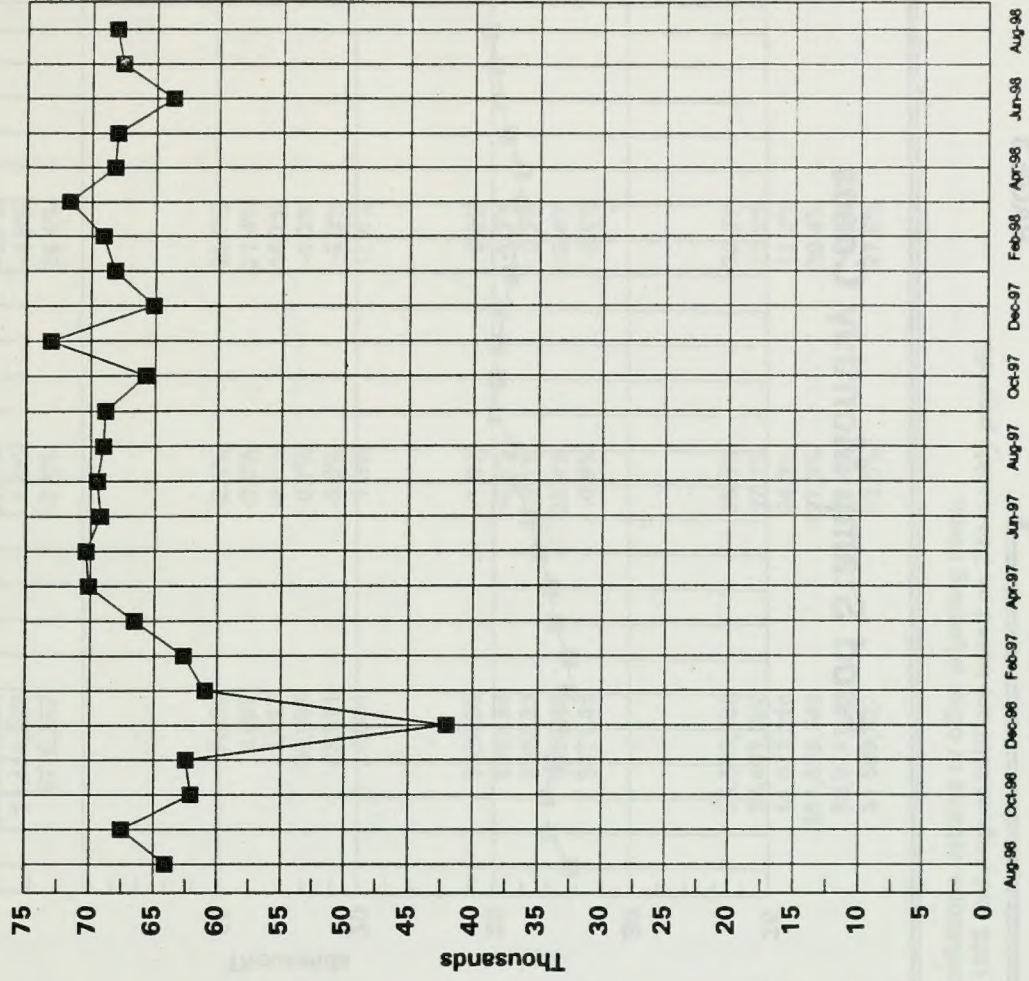
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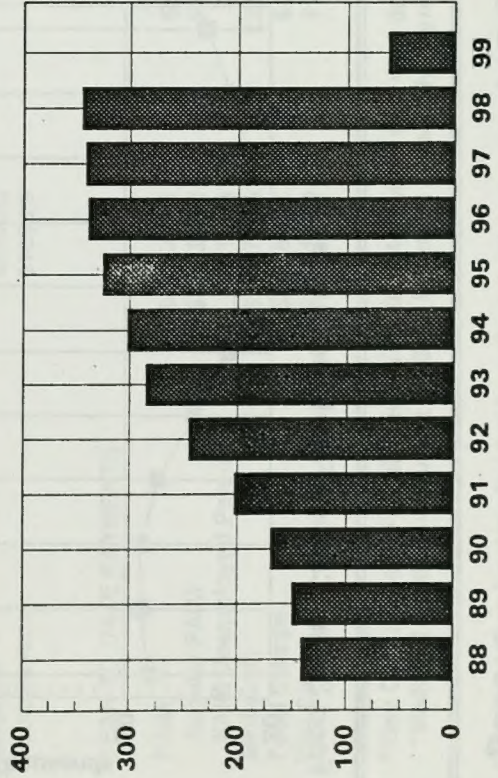
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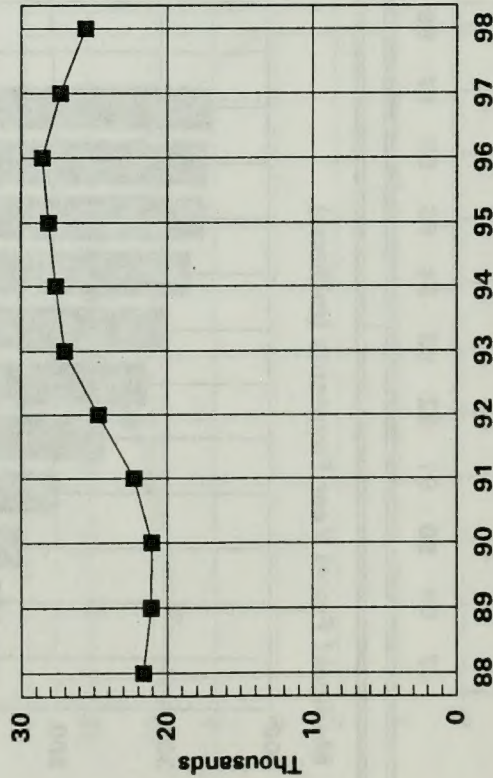
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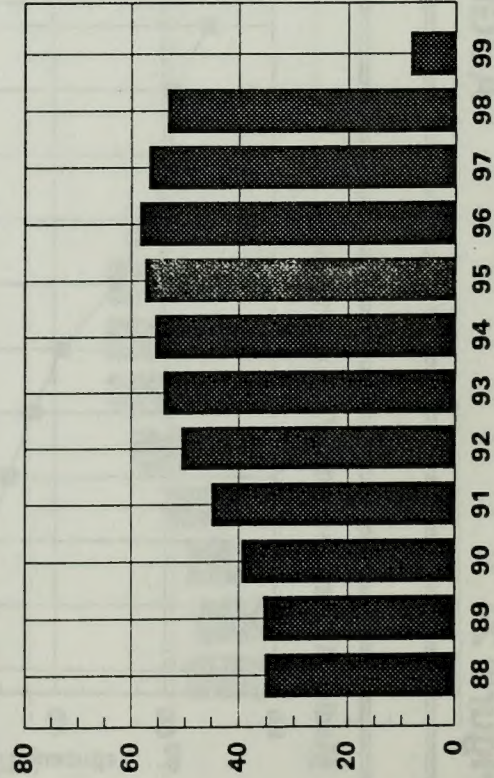
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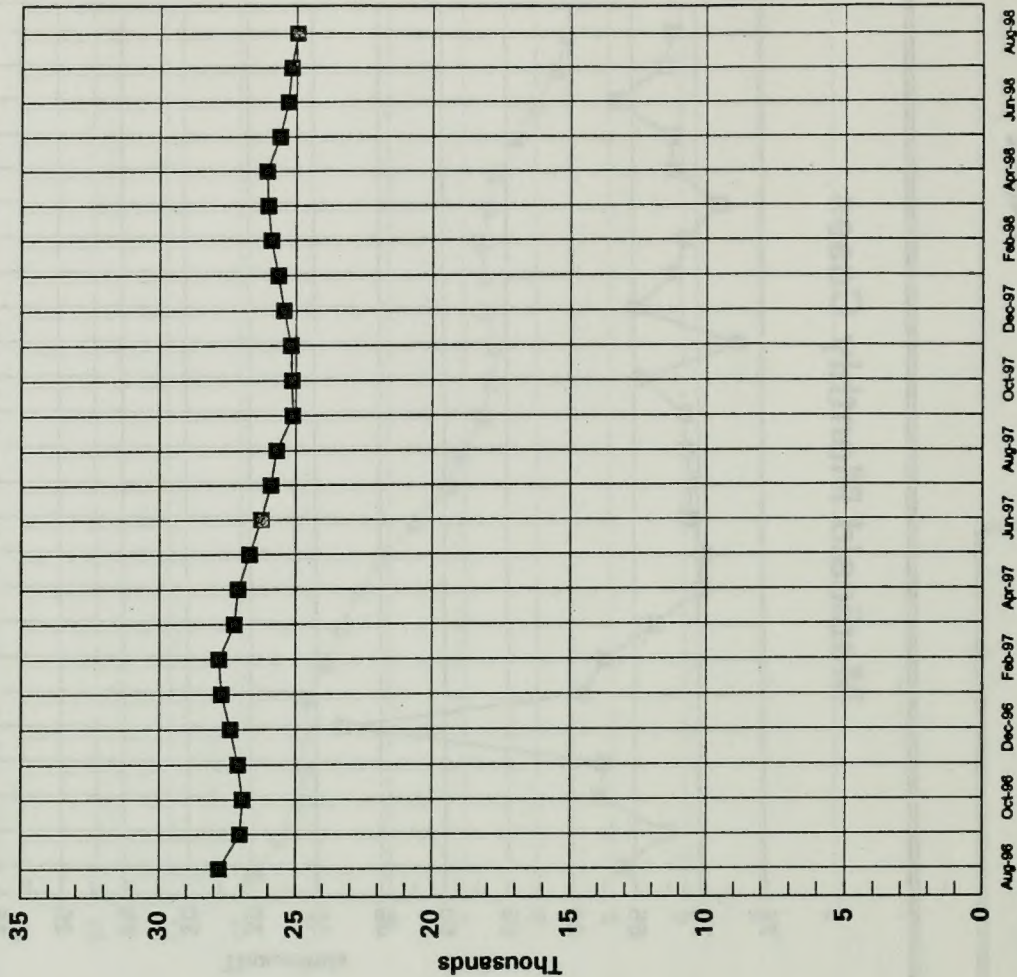


TABLE 1. Summary of Public Assistance and Medical Care

AUGUST
1998

OBLIGATIONS INCURRED	AUGUST 1998	JULY 1998	AUGUST 1997	PERCENT OF CHANGE	
				JULY 1998	AUGUST 1997
All Public Assistance	\$42,138,215	\$34,899,742	\$32,149,811	20.7%	31.1%
FAIM	\$2,157,204	\$2,236,127	\$2,713,561	-3.5%	-20.5%
Regular FAIM	\$1,705,161	\$1,756,882	\$2,197,610	-2.9%	-22.4%
FAIM Unemployed Parent	\$452,043	\$479,245	\$515,951	-5.7%	-12.4%
Medicaid***	\$34,797,503	\$27,330,303	\$24,244,984	27.3%	43.5%
Food Stamps*	\$4,202,580	\$4,272,631	\$4,414,999	-1.6%	-4.8%
Day Care**	\$980,928	\$1,060,681	\$776,267	-7.5%	26.4%
NUMBER OF CASES					
FAIM	5,568	5,716	7,024	-2.6%	-20.7%
Regular FAIM	4,721	4,819	6,007	-2.0%	-21.4%
FAIM Unemployed Parent	847	897	1,017	-5.6%	-16.7%
Medicaid	68,120	67,620	68,995	0.7%	-1.3%
Food Stamps	24,973	25,168	25,691	-0.8%	-2.8%
Day Care	4,783	4,724	4,074	1.2%	17.4%
AVERAGE PAYMENTS					
FAIM	\$387.43	\$391.20	\$386.33	-1.0%	0.3%
Regular FAIM	\$361.19	\$364.57	\$365.84	-0.9%	-1.3%
FAIM Unemployed Parent	\$533.70	\$534.28	\$507.33	-0.1%	5.2%
Medicaid	\$510.83	\$404.17	\$351.40	26.4%	45.4%
Food Stamps	\$168.28	\$169.76	\$171.85	-0.9%	-2.1%
YEAR TO DATE PAYMENTS					
FAIM	\$4,393,331	\$2,236,127	\$5,503,400	96.5%	-20.2%
Regular FAIM	\$3,462,043	\$1,756,882	\$4,431,090	97.1%	-21.9%
FAIM Unemployed Parent	\$931,288	\$479,245	\$1,072,310	94.3%	-13.2%
Medicaid	\$62,127,806	\$27,330,303	\$51,599,549	127.3%	20.4%
Food Stamps	\$8,475,211	\$4,272,631	\$8,874,343	98.4%	-4.5%
Day Care	\$2,041,609	\$1,060,681	\$1,599,927	92.5%	27.6%

*Coupon value

**Day Care cases are duplicated. Year to Date figures may vary due to cancellations, returns or other adjusting items.

***Medicaid figures for August 1998 are based on 3 biweekly payrolls; July 1998 and August 1997 are based on 2 bi-weekly payrolls.

TABLE 2. *FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA (FAIM) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
BY UNEMPLOYED AND REGULAR CASES

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	TOTAL			AMOUNT	REGULAR			AMOUNT	UNEMPLOYED PARENT			AMOUNT
	CASES	ADULTS	KIDS		CASES	ADULTS	KIDS		CASES	ADULTS	KIDS	
BEAVERHEAD.....	9	5	12	\$2,023	8	3	11	\$1,701	1	2	1	\$322
BIG HORN.....	289	229	625	\$107,041	247	162	522	\$86,625	42	67	103	\$20,416
BLAINE.....	179	150	388	\$71,039	139	98	269	\$50,426	40	52	119	\$20,613
BROADWATER.....	11	11	20	\$4,490	10	9	18	\$3,955	1	2	2	\$535
CARBON.....	11	9	20	\$2,681	10	7	14	\$2,202	1	2	6	\$479
CARTER.....	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0
CASCADE.....	505	437	880	\$180,033	441	338	743	\$149,805	64	99	137	\$30,228
CHOUTEAU.....	3	1	7	\$918	3	1	7	\$918	0	0	0	\$0
CUSTER.....	59	51	101	\$19,791	51	42	85	\$16,676	8	9	16	\$3,115
DANIELS.....	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0
DAWSON.....	18	19	33	\$6,062	14	12	23	\$4,470	4	7	10	\$1,592
DEER LODGE.....	78	72	146	\$32,712	63	50	119	\$22,948	15	22	27	\$9,764
FALLON.....	5	5	13	\$2,245	4	3	10	\$1,595	1	2	3	\$650
FERGUS.....	15	13	23	\$4,934	13	9	19	\$3,823	2	4	4	\$1,111
FLATHEAD.....	215	171	377	\$73,967	199	146	343	\$67,745	16	25	34	\$6,222
GALLATIN.....	109	103	196	\$43,349	98	84	163	\$37,703	11	19	33	\$5,646
GARFIELD.....	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0
GLACIER.....	553	537	1,102	\$245,691	435	340	819	\$170,635	118	197	283	\$75,056
GOLDEN VALLEY.....	2	2	5	\$850	1	0	3	\$295	1	2	2	\$555
GRANITE.....	10	13	17	\$5,612	7	7	11	\$4,310	3	6	6	\$1,302
HILL.....	193	149	409	\$73,435	160	99	332	\$55,384	33	50	77	\$18,051
JEFFERSON.....	22	16	30	\$6,540	21	14	29	\$6,079	1	2	1	\$461
JUDITH BASIN.....	3	4	8	\$1,591	2	2	5	\$1,016	1	2	3	\$575
LAKE.....	321	292	627	\$119,650	267	205	502	\$96,078	54	87	125	\$23,572
LEWIS & CLARK.....	304	275	553	\$117,752	266	212	463	\$96,101	38	63	90	\$21,651
LIBERTY.....	1	1	1	\$303	1	1	1	\$303	0	0	0	\$0
LINCOLN.....	137	137	271	\$59,452	116	100	216	\$46,625	21	37	55	\$12,827
MADISON.....	6	5	9	\$1,917	6	5	9	\$1,917	0	0	0	\$0
MCCONE.....	1	0	2	\$146	1	0	2	\$146	0	0	0	\$0
MEAGHER.....	3	1	6	\$854	3	1	6	\$854	0	0	0	\$0
MINERAL.....	35	32	58	\$15,090	33	28	53	\$12,068	2	4	5	\$3,022
MISSOULA.....	459	407	819	\$170,159	417	341	707	\$150,455	42	66	112	\$19,704
MUSSELSHELL.....	11	9	21	\$4,125	11	9	21	\$4,125	0	0	0	\$0
PARK.....	33	27	52	\$12,537	31	23	49	\$11,583	2	4	3	\$954
PETROLEUM.....	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0	0	0	0	\$0
PHILLIPS.....	18	15	37	\$6,322	15	11	28	\$5,019	3	4	9	\$1,303
PONDERA.....	76	79	168	\$37,042	56	43	108	\$25,451	20	36	60	\$11,591
POWDER RIVER.....	2	1	2	\$464	2	1	2	\$464	0	0	0	\$0
POWELL.....	22	18	47	\$8,258	14	9	27	\$4,256	8	9	20	\$4,002
PRAIRIE.....	5	5	6	\$1,796	4	3	4	\$1,196	1	2	2	\$600
RAVALLI.....	81	72	161	\$30,810	75	61	145	\$27,391	6	11	16	\$3,419
RICHLAND.....	9	6	18	\$3,164	8	5	17	\$2,798	1	1	1	\$366
ROOSEVELT.....	545	564	1,174	\$222,319	418	343	823	\$157,127	127	221	351	\$65,192
ROSEBUD.....	153	118	348	\$57,202	133	88	294	\$47,243	20	30	54	\$9,959

TABLE 2. *FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA (FAIM) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
BY UNEMPLOYED AND REGULAR CASES

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	TOTAL				REGULAR				UNEMPLOYED PARENT			
	CASES	ADULTS	KIDS	AMOUNT	CASES	ADULTS	KIDS	AMOUNT	CASES	ADULTS	KIDS	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	43	27	99	\$15,896	37	19	83	\$12,735	6	8	16	\$3,161
SHERIDAN.....	1	1	2	\$461	1	1	2	\$461	0	0	0	\$0
SILVER BOW.....	277	250	509	\$102,542	246	196	435	\$86,795	31	54	74	\$15,747
STILLWATER.....	13	9	28	\$4,859	13	9	28	\$4,859	0	0	0	\$0
SWEETGRASS.....	5	4	8	\$1,746	5	4	8	\$1,746	0	0	0	\$0
TETON.....	6	4	7	\$1,647	5	2	5	\$1,092	1	2	2	\$555
TOOLE.....	16	16	34	\$5,921	14	12	29	\$5,306	2	4	5	\$615
TREASURE.....	2	1	7	\$621	2	1	7	\$621	0	0	0	\$0
VALLEY.....	62	63	129	\$24,146	48	39	91	\$17,518	14	24	38	\$6,628
WHEATLAND.....	14	15	30	\$10,448	8	6	13	\$3,679	6	9	17	\$6,769
WIBAUX.....	1	0	3	\$289	1	0	3	\$289	0	0	0	\$0
YELLOWSTONE.....	617	552	1,137	\$234,262	538	420	937	\$190,549	79	132	200	\$43,713
STATE TOTAL.....	5,568	5,003	10,785	\$2,157,204	4,721	3,624	8,663	\$1,705,161	847	1,379	2,122	\$452,043

*FUNDING SOURCE: TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF) BLOCK GRANT

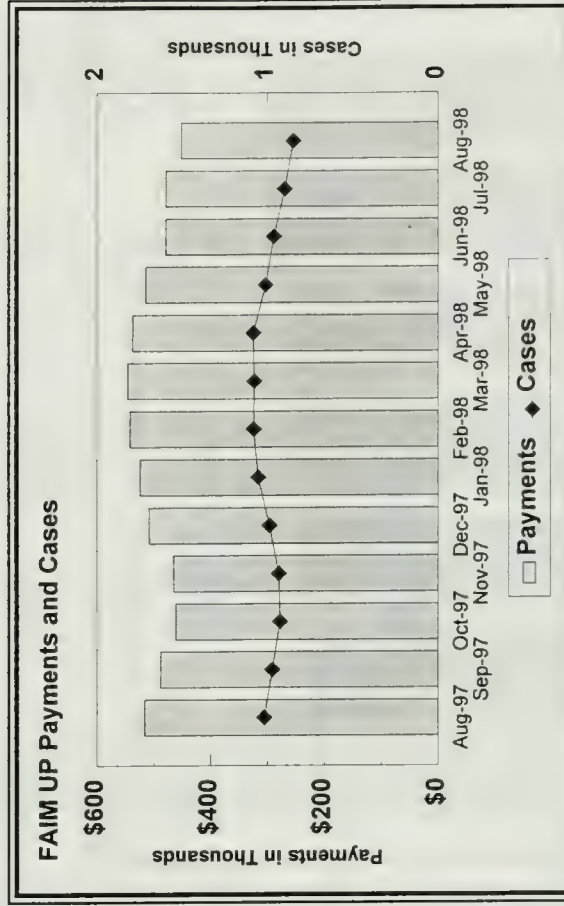
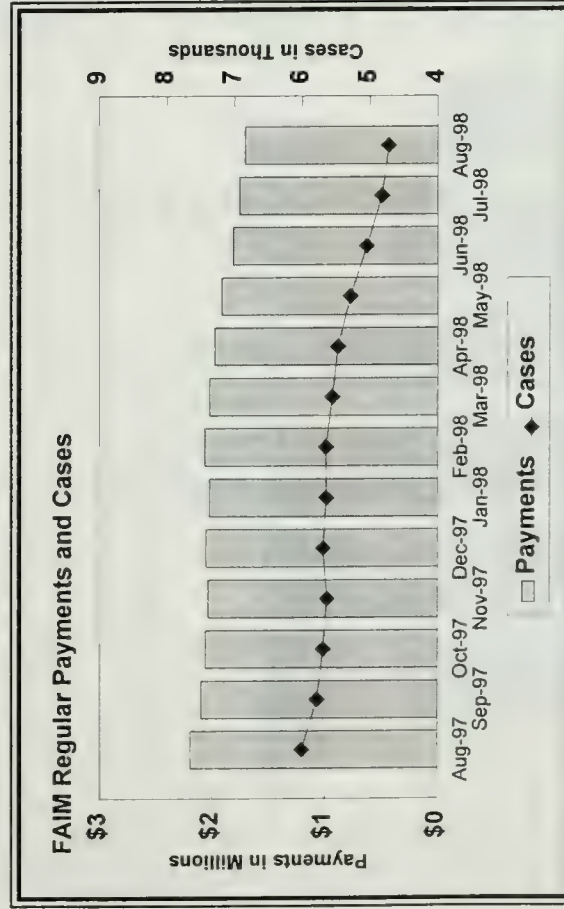


TABLE 3. *FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA(FAIM) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY
COMPARED TO THE SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	JSP** CASES	JSP** RECIPIENTS	CURRENT CASES	CURRENT RECIPIENTS	CURRENT AMOUNT	CURRENT AVG/CASE	LAST YEAR CASES	LAST YEAR AVG/CASE	FIVE YEARS AGO CASES	FIVE YEARS AGO AVG/CASE
BEAVERHEAD.....	10	28	9	17	\$2,023	\$224.78	27	\$371.33	94	\$320.98
BIG HORN.....	23	85	289	854	\$107,041	\$370.38	376	\$414.11	482	\$347.18
BLAINE.....	16	58	179	538	\$71,039	\$396.87	188	\$387.87	211	\$326.78
BROADWATER.....	5	17	11	31	\$4,490	\$408.18	16	\$390.56	49	\$351.96
CARBON.....	0	0	11	29	\$2,681	\$243.73	10	\$300.30	75	\$346.15
CARTER.....	1	4	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	8	\$293.75
CASCADE.....	150	462	505	1,317	\$180,033	\$356.50	653	\$369.07	1,177	\$338.75
CHOUTEAU.....	3	11	3	8	\$918	\$306.00	6	\$403.17	23	\$315.96
CUSTER.....	44	137	59	152	\$19,791	\$335.44	67	\$349.78	178	\$329.58
DANIELS.....	4	11	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	11	\$305.00
DAWSON.....	9	31	18	52	\$6,062	\$336.78	18	\$289.17	103	\$354.19
DEER LODGE.....	18	57	78	218	\$32,712	\$419.38	120	\$382.87	173	\$333.86
FALLON.....	1	4	5	18	\$2,245	\$449.00	2	\$385.50	16	\$393.63
FERGUS.....	8	29	15	36	\$4,934	\$328.93	24	\$348.33	67	\$277.58
FLATHEAD.....	92	286	215	548	\$73,967	\$344.03	286	\$340.88	716	\$329.24
GALLATIN.....	64	196	109	299	\$43,349	\$397.70	170	\$407.08	308	\$336.34
GARFIELD.....	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	3	\$336.67
GLACIER.....	48	178	553	1,639	\$245,691	\$444.29	635	\$416.89	609	\$339.63
GOLDEN VALLE.....	2	8	2	7	\$850	\$425.00	9	\$397.00	4	\$442.50
GRANITE.....	4	13	10	30	\$5,612	\$561.20	12	\$317.25	21	\$363.62
HILL.....	33	108	193	558	\$73,435	\$380.49	200	\$396.88	366	\$341.94
JEFFERSON.....	8	22	22	46	\$6,540	\$297.27	39	\$339.03	68	\$365.94
JUDITH BASIN.....	3	14	3	12	\$1,591	\$530.33	8	\$350.75	12	\$451.75
LAKE.....	75	250	321	919	\$119,650	\$372.74	389	\$406.36	518	\$354.18
LEWIS & CLARK.....	75	235	304	828	\$117,752	\$387.34	389	\$384.56	576	\$324.93
LIBERTY.....	1	3	1	2	\$303	\$303.00	1	\$358.00	2	\$141.00
LINCOLN.....	47	157	137	408	\$59,452	\$433.95	151	\$412.11	318	\$382.86
MADISON.....	4	19	6	14	\$1,917	\$319.50	13	\$372.15	24	\$335.38
MCCONE.....	2	6	1	2	\$146	\$146.00	3	\$205.67	8	\$286.50
MEAGHER.....	0	0	3	7	\$854	\$284.67	4	\$268.75	6	\$384.67
MINERAL.....	17	54	35	90	\$15,090	\$431.14	39	\$405.51	74	\$365.64
MISSOULA.....	112	368	459	1,226	\$170,159	\$370.72	711	\$395.05	1,198	\$354.50
MUSSELSHELL.....	5	13	11	30	\$4,125	\$375.00	19	\$443.79	37	\$329.65
PARK.....	7	23	33	79	\$12,537	\$379.91	47	\$405.77	136	\$326.74
PETROLEUM.....	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	1	\$318.00
PHILLIPS.....	2	5	18	52	\$6,322	\$351.22	19	\$290.11	56	\$362.96
PONDERA.....	9	29	76	247	\$37,042	\$487.39	76	\$418.70	105	\$352.04
POWDER RIVER.....	1	5	2	3	\$464	\$232.00	1	\$97.00	6	\$444.67
POWELL.....	7	20	22	65	\$8,258	\$375.36	48	\$303.00	60	\$353.55
PRAIRIE.....	0	0	5	11	\$1,796	\$359.20	3	\$271.00	2	\$239.50
RAVALLI.....	30	110	81	233	\$30,810	\$380.37	134	\$325.38	281	\$356.93
RICHLAND.....	9	29	9	24	\$3,164	\$351.56	16	\$348.13	83	\$309.63
ROOSEVELT.....	16	65	545	1,738	\$222,319	\$407.92	559	\$428.91	512	\$359.43
ROSEBUD.....	8	27	153	466	\$57,202	\$373.87	202	\$367.70	235	\$344.29

TABLE 3. *FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA(FAIM) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY
COMPARED TO THE SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	JSP** CASES	JSP** RECIPIENTS	CURRENT CASES	CURRENT RECIPIENTS	CURRENT AMOUNT	CURRENT AVG/CASE	LAST YEAR CASES	LAST YEAR AVG/CASE	FIVE YEARS AGO CASES	FIVE YEARS AGO AVG/CASE
SANDERS.....	27	82	43	126	\$15,896	\$369.67	47	\$368.30	132	\$369.78
SHERIDAN.....	2	6	1	3	\$461	\$461.00	4	\$261.00	19	\$383.95
SILVER BOW.....	99	340	277	759	\$102,542	\$370.19	370	\$369.38	632	\$339.41
STILLWATER.....	1	3	13	37	\$4,859	\$373.77	12	\$302.25	37	\$304.57
SWEETGRASS.....	2	4	5	12	\$1,746	\$349.20	7	\$301.00	17	\$402.53
TETON.....	7	23	6	11	\$1,647	\$274.50	15	\$335.93	39	\$313.74
TOOLE.....	14	42	16	50	\$5,921	\$370.06	21	\$475.47	32	\$308.69
TREASURE.....	0	0	2	8	\$621	\$310.50	1	\$678.00	4	\$421.75
VALLEY.....	4	12	62	192	\$24,146	\$389.45	76	\$404.01	135	\$338.53
WHEATLAND.....	7	30	14	45	\$10,448	\$746.29	11	\$378.91	18	\$367.28
WIBAUX.....	2	5	1	3	\$289	\$289.00	3	\$403.33	4	\$295.25
YELLOWSTONE..	197	608	617	1,689	\$234,262	\$379.68	767	\$358.29	1,531	\$342.19
STATE TOTAL....	1,335	4,332	5,568	15,788	\$2,157,204	\$387.43	7,024	\$386.33	11,612	\$343.41

**JSP cases do not receive FAIM Financial assistance, therefore, they are not included in the Current Cases or Current Recipient Totals.

*FUNDING SOURCE: TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF) BLOCK GRANT

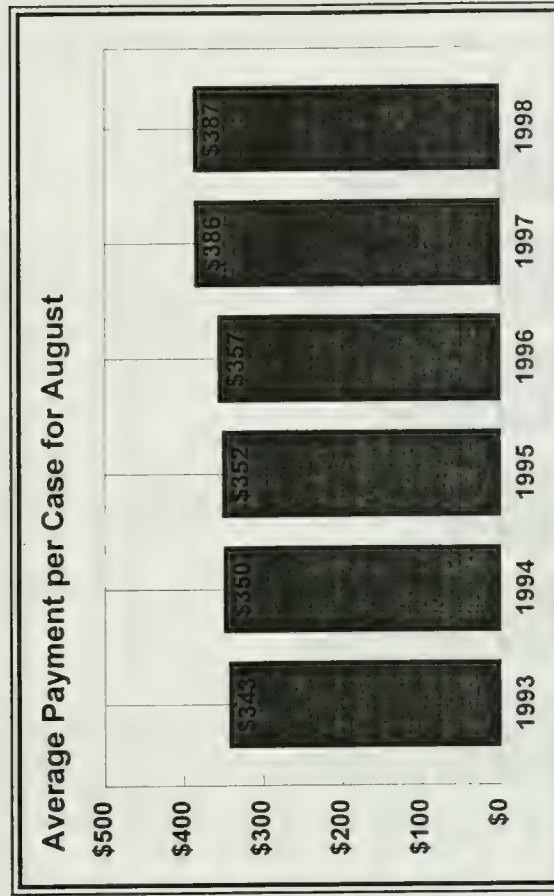
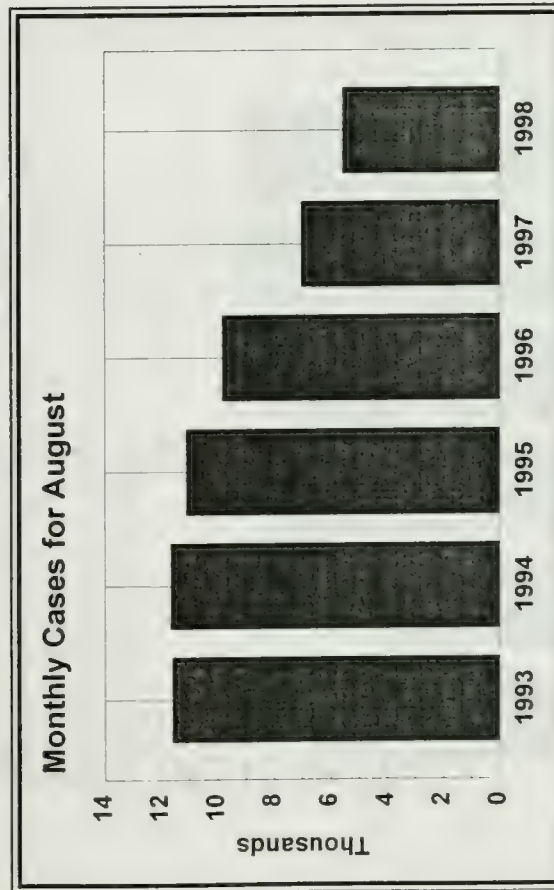


TABLE 4. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), BY COUNTY COMPARED
WITH THE SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	CURRENT RECIP	CURRENT AMOUNT	LAST YEAR RECIP	LAST YEAR AMOUNT	FIVE YRS AGO RECIP	FIVE YRS AGO AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD.....	572	368,223.42	586	362,639.43	537	355,241.29
BIG HORN.....	1,842	620,268.31	2,079	548,735.03	622	586,093.08
BLAINE.....	1,100	334,780.85	1,020	273,148.11	402	257,397.98
BROADWATER.....	329	174,889.74	315	124,318.58	207	119,831.64
CARBON.....	385	265,312.21	407	236,833.79	517	555,827.32
CARTER.....	69	77,318.23	72	45,760.00	53	186,006.74
CASCADE.....	6,095	2,964,416.55	6,212	2,356,488.54	5,294	3,101,393.81
CHOUTEAU.....	233	265,336.61	221	152,916.45	207	311,536.69
CUSTER.....	1,156	655,110.81	1,140	399,629.11	912	490,682.01
DANIELS.....	71	40,985.19	69	34,891.98	51	49,178.99
DAWSON.....	507	312,262.87	459	225,960.65	605	332,233.42
DEER LODGE.....	1,032	436,038.04	1,159	402,588.91	802	407,901.95
FALLON.....	178	116,642.74	149	93,126.04	104	88,526.76
FERGUS.....	981	558,652.72	946	466,040.86	799	484,226.16
FLATHEAD.....	4,681	2,316,489.79	4,684	1,655,931.25	4,122	1,823,769.42
GALLATIN.....	2,161	922,249.03	2,160	722,542.74	2,042	886,166.40
GARFIELD.....	37	20,636.89	26	16,825.79	24	115,609.34
GLACIER.....	3,117	1,065,872.25	2,883	435,632.67	562	561,277.58
GOLDEN VALLEY..	59	13,754.87	46	24,039.33	23	7,204.27
GRANITE.....	202	82,675.85	219	31,397.08	72	41,629.28
HILL.....	1,890	1,026,152.72	1,826	567,787.75	1,736	892,178.90
JEFFERSON.....	563	277,816.98	585	249,347.33	407	240,993.12
JUDITH BASIN...	144	35,856.68	146	19,168.00	76	16,043.92
LAKE.....	2,918	1,291,238.36	2,861	914,920.10	2,394	1,061,730.51
LEWIS & CLARK..	3,680	1,683,031.54	3,739	1,335,684.59	3,259	1,677,167.95
LIBERTY.....	49	49,752.78	45	34,432.29	41	34,707.89
LINCOLN.....	1,846	1,044,858.98	1,900	640,714.66	1,206	615,541.06
MADISON.....	213	165,123.41	232	116,979.22	197	154,826.02
MCONE.....	79	64,039.06	66	51,619.67	55	44,249.20
MEAGHER.....	116	81,947.29	108	50,021.18	76	64,870.99
MINERAL.....	446	165,212.57	495	135,300.21	249	112,717.86
MISSOULA.....	6,274	3,070,573.55	6,844	2,310,471.03	5,952	2,700,880.37
MUSSELSHELL...	315	288,287.08	325	148,240.74	223	145,166.87
PARK.....	817	448,398.39	830	330,694.91	732	421,478.47
PETROLEUM.....	18	8,715.27	23	5,394.56	8	2,298.85
PHILLIPS.....	396	250,458.81	373	161,150.43	235	135,984.18
PONDERA.....	752	298,218.99	712	225,601.59	311	199,979.04
POWDER RIVER...	67	68,609.09	62	56,158.49	58	75,395.10
POWELL.....	485	215,902.32	503	211,240.41	318	171,659.46
PRAIRIE.....	51	43,076.74	59	47,185.99	43	35,234.79
RAVALLI.....	1,994	1,225,591.26	2,042	890,276.49	1,718	965,762.38
RICHLAND.....	664	443,971.13	631	311,664.14	521	414,839.13
ROOSEVELT.....	2,804	777,530.50	2,726	606,680.49	998	632,310.10
ROSEBUD.....	1,087	362,747.50	1,231	262,563.31	361	265,986.66

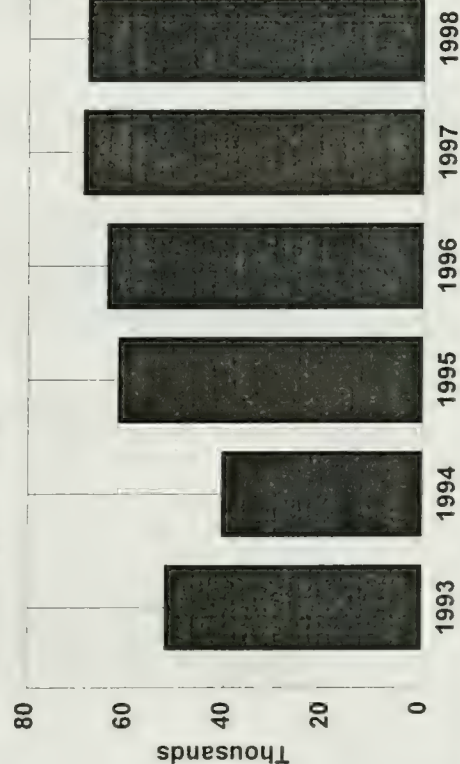
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AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	CURRENT RECIP	CURRENT AMOUNT	LAST YEAR RECIP	LAST YEAR AMOUNT	FIVE YRS AGO RECIP	FIVE YRS AGO AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	754	369,651.11	813	312,201.87	532	283,070.86
SHERIDAN.....	205	153,026.64	189	126,370.16	123	85,502.35
SILVER BOW.....	3,637	2,006,847.81	3,749	1,409,771.37	3,452	1,838,754.34
STILLWATER.....	316	227,899.30	336	264,023.14	308	186,448.34
SWEET GRASS.....	196	168,011.53	173	30,303.62	135	80,883.01
TETON.....	259	256,584.89	302	174,368.97	238	197,617.51
TOOLE.....	380	243,809.47	370	147,905.52	248	148,084.92
TREASURE.....	31	13,717.01	28	4,655.68	22	6,029.48
VALLEY.....	833	392,688.18	888	308,331.85	496	327,593.32
WHEATLAND.....	218	115,235.63	162	93,726.47	96	63,278.91
WIBAUX.....	69	70,494.16	81	64,661.28	48	35,832.25
YELLOWSTONE.....	8,543	4,429,697.81	8,487	2,968,636.28	7,596	3,420,617.68
INSTITUTIONS...	151	1,206,692.69	22	28,097.35	292	1,308,630.05
NOCO BREAKDOWN.	862	144,119.27	737	19,186.87	202	58,338.00
STATE TOTAL.....	68,120	34,797,503.47	68,995	24,244,984.35	52,245	29,884,417.97

THE SUM OF COUNTY RECIP COUNTS MAY BE GREATER THAN THE TOTAL STATE RECIP COUNT BECAUSE RECIP COUNTS ARE UNDUPLICATED BY COUNTY AND BY STATE. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A RECIP MOVES BETWEEN COUNTIES, THE RECIP IS COUNTED IN BOTH COUNTIES, BUT IS COUNTED ONLY ONCE IN THE STATE TOTAL. AUGUST 1998 MEDICAID FIGURES ARE BASED ON 3 BIWEEKLY PAYROLLS.

Monthly Cases for August



Average Payment per Case for August

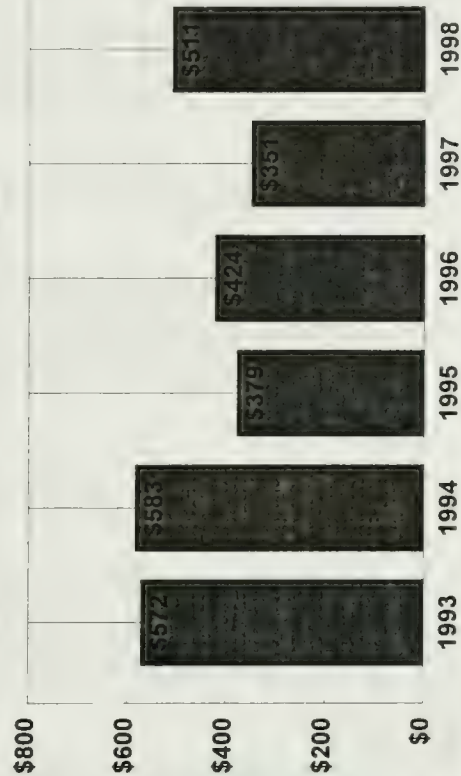


TABLE 5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS BY TYPE OF SERVICE AND BY COUNTY

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AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	TOTAL		IN HOSPITAL		OUT HOSPITAL		PHYSICIANS		DRUGS & SUPPLIES	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD.....	572	368,223.42	19	40,211.50	86	28,732.04	351	28,525.70	278	67,518.94
BIG HORN.....	1,842	620,268.31	30	76,179.59	129	31,948.29	1,088	35,005.48	292	34,780.52
BLAINE.....	1,100	334,780.85	25	45,885.96	71	26,169.50	115	21,074.47	197	25,419.72
BROADWATER.....	329	174,889.74	8	14,512.16	29	6,132.35	208	14,040.03	123	18,651.21
CARBON.....	385	265,312.21	7	5,775.90	31	5,743.51	173	6,239.19	220	38,255.06
CARTER.....	69	77,318.23	0	0.00	5	1,176.23	11	2,206.26	33	6,568.04
CASCADE.....	6,095	2,964,416.55	95	244,266.23	467	93,103.81	3,232	182,400.68	2,689	500,749.96
CHOUTEAU.....	233	265,336.61	3	24,035.65	19	38,965.52	79	5,116.52	125	31,336.26
CUSTER.....	1,156	655,110.81	18	98,581.83	178	38,169.58	776	35,625.21	570	102,039.67
DANIELS.....	71	40,985.19	0	0.00	6	2,769.70	37	1,095.03	34	4,558.13
DAWSON.....	507	312,262.87	4	13,083.51	55	11,297.20	222	12,139.19	232	56,130.25
DEER LODGE.....	1,032	436,038.04	13	30,933.50	122	17,276.35	651	39,647.91	464	83,049.44
FALLON.....	178	116,642.74	3	5,175.91	34	6,223.76	42	3,309.83	90	16,724.09
FERGUS.....	981	558,652.72	14	29,044.58	128	16,435.56	422	21,675.09	519	93,327.97
FLATHEAD.....	4,681	2,316,489.79	100	198,019.01	484	114,282.63	3,128	165,356.48	2,007	355,225.34
GALLATIN.....	2,161	922,249.03	23	44,779.10	139	24,016.59	1,548	59,157.06	796	135,140.82
GARFIELD.....	37	20,636.89	2	1,115.91	1	175.56	10	576.21	18	3,234.38
GLACIER.....	3,117	1,065,872.25	38	355,446.51	146	36,831.33	444	80,801.03	307	44,167.73
GOLDEN VALLEY.....	59	13,754.87	1	637.92	5	1,424.90	18	1,507.71	29	3,525.92
GRANITE.....	202	82,675.85	1	657.08	14	5,917.70	127	6,027.74	55	8,006.21
HILL.....	1,890	1,026,152.72	58	186,371.05	234	61,810.10	1,083	68,967.06	584	97,836.37
JEFFERSON.....	563	277,816.98	6	17,964.70	33	6,797.30	352	14,221.15	278	61,823.24
JUDITH BASIN.....	144	35,856.68	1	1,563.09	13	4,645.37	42	5,821.20	41	3,018.71
LAKE.....	2,918	1,291,238.36	66	148,260.78	406	92,104.56	2,229	123,224.03	963	131,096.66
LEWIS & CLARK.....	3,680	1,683,031.54	54	221,287.86	345	98,169.65	2,308	138,008.12	1,442	265,120.12
LIBERTY.....	49	49,752.78	1	1,757.49	1	1,743.29	25	500.32	27	6,369.76
LINCOLN.....	1,846	1,046,858.98	37	219,392.22	180	106,878.01	910	70,231.64	724	134,468.65
MADISON.....	213	165,123.41	6	6,192.32	20	4,187.06	94	10,211.36	112	30,825.42
MCCONE.....	79	64,039.06	4	7,884.30	6	1,143.35	9	617.79	45	6,662.11
MEAGHER.....	116	81,947.29	7	9,284.63	13	2,018.59	16	4,077.27	40	7,788.21
MINERAL.....	446	165,212.57	6	13,814.62	50	8,756.76	340	8,853.00	159	25,641.05
MISSOULA.....	6,274	3,070,573.55	117	321,899.86	635	126,086.01	4,198	257,014.23	2,608	473,412.72
MUSSELSHELL.....	315	288,287.08	7	69,371.00	31	7,215.87	75	8,367.63	147	61,907.75
PARK.....	817	448,398.39	11	66,931.70	80	22,394.51	492	29,408.62	368	64,643.01
PETROLEUM.....	18	8,715.27	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	39.91	6	919.46
PHILLIPS.....	396	250,458.81	7	49,076.29	58	12,456.17	79	7,113.42	194	31,447.47
PONDERA.....	752	298,218.99	9	22,286.14	61	12,725.46	507	23,370.21	184	32,961.78
POWDER RIVER.....	67	68,609.09	4	7,567.38	2	1,733.16	17	2,259.50	33	6,630.06
POWELL.....	485	215,902.32	6	10,239.38	48	12,185.40	342	19,820.14	191	29,570.76
PRAIRIE.....	51	63,076.74	1	71.65	5	1,449.80	5	3,137.15	29	4,432.42
RAVALLI.....	1,994	1,225,591.26	35	72,014.22	216	73,365.85	1,257	106,1228.82	829	157,066.29
RICHLAND.....	664	443,971.13	15	78,819.26	81	24,216.88	369	23,572.74	288	60,319.62
ROOSEVELT.....	2,804	777,530.50	65	135,883.00	421	81,580.46	393	55,093.97	334	42,685.97
ROSEBUD.....	1,087	362,747.50	12	64,836.77	46	16,005.30	525	21,940.94	129	18,333.05

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AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS BY TYPE OF SERVICE AND BY COUNTY

AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	TOTAL		IN HOSPITAL		OUT HOSPITAL		PHYSICIANS		DRUGS & SUPPLIES	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	754	369,651.11	16	4,972.20	83	21,974.51	108	18,036.24	290	42,158.47
SHERIDAN.....	205	153,026.64	5	6,168.76	19	4,415.34	85	3,867.11	105	19,406.75
SILVER BOW.....	3,637	2,006,847.81	55	282,951.52	244	83,012.56	1,601	147,797.14	1,655	286,931.34
STILLWATER.....	316	227,899.30	6	11,807.11	36	4,181.69	178	8,304.97	138	26,609.40
SWEET GRASS.....	196	168,011.53	4	36,399.17	19	2,830.11	129	6,561.34	69	13,079.55
TETON.....	259	256,584.89	5	8,935.40	20	4,233.65	123	3,530.60	123	30,139.65
TOOLE.....	380	243,809.47	24	73,290.72	59	11,117.37	242	14,306.39	164	28,968.41
TREASURE.....	31	13,717.01	0	0.00	6	1,250.03	16	1,179.07	15	1,653.99
VALLEY.....	833	392,688.18	11	40,595.29	99	23,653.63	447	23,207.87	318	59,656.15
WHEATLAND.....	218	115,235.63	3	6,910.96	17	447.86	35	3,028.84	75	11,734.00
WIBAUX.....	69	70,494.16	1	2,416.23	5	175.16	27	1,326.96	44	6,212.37
YELLOWSTONE.....	8,543	4,429,697.81	162	495,151.28	601	156,256.99	4,456	297,792.63	3,522	629,660.39
INSTITUTIONS...	151	1,206,692.69	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
NOCO BREAKDOWN.	862	144,119.27	3	3,900.56	50	8,473.78	56	11,430.80	243	24,008.68
STATE TOTAL.....	68,120	34,797,503.47	1,234	3,979,610.76	6,363	1,608,483.70	35,557	2,263,997.00	25,518	4,563,589.47

TOTAL RECIPS DOES NOT EQUAL THE SUM OF RECIPS FOR INDIVIDUAL SERVICES BECAUSE ONE RECIP MAY RECEIVE MORE THAN ONE TYPE OF SERVICE. RECIPS ARE UNDUPLICATED BY COUNTY AND BY STATE. STATE TOTAL DOES NOT INCLUDE \$706,374.91 FOR HISTORY ADJUSTMENTS.

TABLE 5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS BY TYPE OF SERVICE AND BY COUNTY
(PART TWO)

AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	NURSING HOME		OTHER PRACT.		LAB, X-RAY, RAD.		DENTAL		RESIDENTIAL PSYCHIATRIC	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD.....	72	91,479.47	16	1,318.52	6	155.94	19	2,590.00	0	0.00
BIG HORN.....	51	131,251.99	18	528.35	3	433.17	9	1,287.00	0	0.00
BLAINE.....	34	66,403.95	28	1,653.91	7	228.62	14	2,519.06	0	0.00
BROADWATER.....	26	65,499.85	6	311.64	4	217.43	3	118.00	0	0.00
CARBON.....	49	113,801.69	12	571.47	3	119.34	13	1,983.27	0	0.00
CARTER.....	13	51,561.55	1	24.41	0	0.00	1	78.30	0	0.00
CASCADE.....	37	750,657.38	207	27,998.24	41	1,718.52	156	21,755.03	0	0.00
CHOUTEAU.....	55	132,901.36	4	319.07	0	0.00	10	1,328.15	0	0.00
CUSTER.....	82	212,699.81	23	1,006.48	11	668.87	22	2,213.86	0	0.00
DANIELS.....	11	22,882.86	3	93.06	0	0.00	2	59.00	0	0.00
DAWSON.....	72	147,959.06	22	1,038.69	5	267.57	25	1,383.44	0	0.00
DEER LODGE.....	47	116,894.78	42	10,184.98	14	779.10	23	2,818.00	0	0.00
FALLON.....	24	57,354.61	1	53.05	0	0.00	12	1,028.69	0	0.00
FERGUS.....	93	235,988.45	24	1,450.55	3	59.75	37	4,261.98	0	0.00
FLATHEAD.....	313	749,208.12	149	33,391.48	66	2,398.49	131	18,195.29	0	0.00
GALLATIN.....	108	276,863.92	76	8,035.84	57	1,960.44	63	5,220.78	0	0.00
GARFIELD.....	5	11,915.04	3	159.71	2	28.07	0	0.00	0	0.00
GLACIER.....	55	129,964.40	48	2,230.38	7	124.68	48	28,202.93	0	0.00
GOLDEN VALLEY..	1	2,555.20	1	16.61	0	0.00	1	44.00	0	0.00
GRANITE.....	19	40,759.68	2	148.31	6	136.24	2	70.00	0	0.00
HILL.....	110	339,460.52	26	1,764.69	3	98.45	24	2,626.00	0	0.00
JEFFERSON.....	36	83,479.46	60	5,288.61	18	651.12	23	1,309.15	0	0.00
JUDITH BASIN..	2	3,776.90	3	137.33	0	0.00	4	548.00	0	0.00
LAKE.....	100	261,607.15	111	17,217.62	51	1,763.76	49	5,640.01	0	0.00
LEWIS & CLARK..	129	325,996.61	100	16,641.92	99	3,423.09	124	11,875.12	1	43,406.08
LIBERTY.....	14	34,109.11	2	49.30	1	7.84	1	20.00	0	0.00
LINCOLN.....	101	194,988.84	35	1,324.95	22	839.68	33	3,154.00	0	0.00
MADISON.....	33	61,927.57	6	2,445.65	1	20.11	4	266.00	0	0.00
MCCONE.....	16	33,955.15	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	60.00	0	0.00
MEAGHER.....	18	43,684.64	3	117.82	4	47.56	0	0.00	0	0.00
MINERAL.....	12	35,374.22	9	1,667.04	9	254.87	4	401.00	0	0.00
MISSOULA.....	189	448,256.71	203	44,021.67	314	10,879.93	128	13,515.75	0	0.00
MUSSELSHELL...	21	45,378.01	18	4,476.52	2	44.14	6	441.00	0	0.00
PARK.....	56	99,706.34	37	4,973.60	8	632.50	18	1,078.78	0	0.00
PETROLEUM.....	0	3,148.04	1	35.03	0	0.00	1	116.00	0	0.00
PHILLIPS.....	25	60,909.58	7	330.33	13	491.90	12	985.52	0	0.00
PONDERA.....	31	80,672.30	16	3,211.47	3	110.81	15	1,632.06	0	0.00
POWDER RIVER...	19	45,268.55	0	0.00	2	43.30	1	57.00	0	0.00
POWELL.....	40	70,797.16	26	4,459.69	4	257.01	12	2,696.56	0	0.00
PRAIRIE.....	11	24,190.78	0	0.00	1	103.29	1	96.00	0	0.00
RAVALLI.....	115	280,834.03	61	23,195.08	18	649.76	48	7,214.86	0	0.00
RICHLAND.....	51	143,260.34	26	1,068.65	3	182.02	24	2,054.00	0	0.00
ROOSEVELT.....	71	169,240.47	30	1,301.36	25	780.61	11	2,379.59	1	3,786.51
ROSEBUD.....	34	84,908.78	8	703.22	6	202.29	7	489.00	0	0.00

TABLE 5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
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COUNTY	NURSING HOME		OTHER PRACT.		LAB, X-RAY, RAD.		DENTAL		RESIDENTIAL PSYCHIATRIC	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	38	86,859.50	16	1,042.83	13	396.49	15	1,435.52	0	0.00
SHERIDAN.....	37	89,059.39	5	95.02	5	93.85	7	500.00	0	0.00
SILVER BOW.....	221	510,878.63	177	33,923.76	144	10,911.97	100	9,682.40	0	0.00
STILLWATER.....	47	124,263.75	5	174.14	0	0.00	8	3,170.54	0	0.00
SWEET GRASS.....	18	72,553.22	6	1,003.51	1	20.65	3	147.00	0	0.00
TETON.....	36	140,614.26	8	787.61	1	30.94	14	3,635.95	0	0.00
TOOLE.....	28	65,931.92	7	305.11	2	189.00	10	849.14	0	0.00
TREASURE.....	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	11.16	0	0.00	0	0.00
VALLEY.....	58	134,521.57	17	839.54	1	37.50	17	3,901.00	0	0.00
WHEATLAND.....	22	53,119.23	7	210.03	3	109.17	6	1,458.00	0	0.00
WIBAUX.....	21	54,532.92	1	28.90	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
YELLOWSTONE.....	475	1,097,596.28	166	29,046.64	107	11,437.69	220	26,863.79	1	6,765.29
INSTITUTIONS....	151	1,206,692.69	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
NOCO BREAKDOWN..	0	0.00	29	7,024.49	3	55.46	1	58.00	0	0.00
STATE TOTAL.....	3,857	10,020,157.79	1,916	299,427.88	1,123	54,074.15	1,543	205,113.52	3	53,957.88

THIS TABLE EXCLUDES CERTAIN FIGURES SUCH AS MEDICARE BUY-IN AND INDIAN HEALTH CONTRACT. THESE EXCLUSIONS AFFECT THE NET DOLLARS LESS THAN 3%.

ALL EARLY PERIODIC SCREENING SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS UNDER 21 (EPSDT SCREENING) AND MOST FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES ARE REPORTED IN THE PROVIDER TYPE OF SERVICE. FOR EXAMPLE, EPSDT SCREENING SERVICES THAT WERE PROVIDED BY A DENTIST ARE REPORTED IN DENTAL SERVICES.

THE SUM OF COUNTY RECIPIENT COUNTS MAY BE GREATER THAN THE STATE TOTAL RECIPIENT COUNT BECAUSE RECIPIENTS ARE UNDUPLICATED BY STATE. FOR EXAMPLE, IF AN INDIVIDUAL RECIPIENT MOVES BETWEEN COUNTIES, THE RECIPIENT IS COUNTED IN BOTH COUNTIES, BUT IS COUNTED ONLY ONCE IN THE STATE TOTAL.

TABLE 5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
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COUNTY	WAIVER		PERSONAL CARE NON-WAIVER		TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT		CLINIC		RURAL HEALTH	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD.....	0	0.00	29	36,831.32	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
BIG HORN.....	6	8,661.34	65	105,047.28	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	58.77
BLAINE.....	0	0.00	29	28,330.16	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	424.64
BROADWATER.....	2	2,421.84	3	1,460.57	0	0.00	6	113.88	2	159.00
CARBON.....	2	1,183.64	30	36,587.38	0	0.00	0	0.00	11	667.48
CARTER.....	0	0.00	1	509.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	9	823.55
CASCADE.....	14	12,908.73	167	148,060.90	88	3,390.00	2	18.98	5	359.18
CHOUTEAU.....	0	0.00	2	2,961.44	0	0.00	0	0.00	16	1,443.48
CUSTER.....	0	0.00	37	18,015.49	0	0.00	1	5.00	1	34.00
DANIELS.....	0	0.00	2	820.78	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
DAWSON.....	0	0.00	5	974.30	0	0.00	13	303.68	0	0.00
DEER LODGE.....	0	0.00	19	13,665.07	1	24.00	4	1,380.00	2	115.08
FALLON.....	0	0.00	7	2,383.87	0	0.00	0	0.00	30	1,791.02
FERGUS.....	2	550.78	33	17,768.86	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	190.45
FLATHEAD.....	0	0.00	118	94,197.65	61	3,936.00	50	3,230.37	4	147.32
GALLATIN.....	1	2,188.05	41	48,620.58	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	55.77
GARFIELD.....	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
GLACIER.....	0	0.00	90	77,619.26	1	12.00	0	0.00	177	14,822.64
GOLDEN VALLEY..	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	7	257.28
GRANITE.....	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	604.00	0	0.00
HILL.....	1	667.08	38	49,955.36	1	12.00	11	105.00	4	261.44
JEFFERSON.....	1	2,145.32	9	14,841.23	0	0.00	0	0.00	29	2,648.45
JUDITH BASIN...	0	0.00	1	671.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	15	1,077.90
LAKE.....	4	1,217.47	62	70,876.45	1	6.00	16	2,682.66	3	177.49
LEWIS & CLARK..	3	3,905.43	74	39,695.16	20	2,316.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
LIBERTY.....	0	0.00	1	16.32	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
LINCOLN.....	5	1,608.17	76	82,159.19	1	48.00	23	4,492.57	4	120.93
MADISON.....	0	0.00	9	11,559.70	0	0.00	1	237.00	31	1,321.10
MCCONE.....	0	0.00	1	1,262.08	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	336.62
MEAGHER.....	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	19	1,467.78
MINERAL.....	1	5,894.03	7	15,197.59	1	174.00	12	436.96	0	0.00
MISSOULA.....	1	480.07	184	249,095.56	84	5,064.00	60	6,677.39	4	164.49
MUSSELSHELL....	5	5,898.01	21	23,992.09	0	0.00	0	0.00	33	2,455.19
PARK.....	2	583.59	31	25,408.11	8	246.00	0	0.00	2	138.12
PETROLEUM.....	0	0.00	1	2,608.64	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	46.00
PHILLIPS.....	0	0.00	28	28,195.72	0	0.00	0	0.00	67	5,110.00
PONDERA.....	0	0.00	28	21,948.52	1	84.00	9	109.00	11	787.50
POWDER RIVER...	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	13	259.32
POWELL.....	0	0.00	3	3,781.44	0	0.00	1	345.00	0	0.00
PRAIRIE.....	0	0.00	1	1,445.76	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
RAVALLI.....	3	2,711.26	80	91,512.00	12	666.00	19	2,292.14	0	0.00
RICHLAND.....	0	0.00	32	22,202.31	0	0.00	12	111.41	14	709.67
ROOSEVELT.....	0	0.00	25	20,482.70	0	0.00	0	0.00	1,015	31,923.47
ROSEBUD.....	0	0.00	29	32,142.44	0	0.00	1	281.00	5	181.92

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COUNTY	WAIVER		PERSONAL CARE NON-WAIVER		TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT		CLINIC		RURAL HEALTH	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	2	495.38	17	35,533.13	2	114.00	4	94.90	87	5,594.63
SHERIDAN.....	0	0.00	3	2,060.43	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
SILVER BOW.....	0	0.00	127	120,051.21	35	1,392.00	22	2,606.89	2	90.05
STILLWATER.....	0	0.00	9	8,629.47	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
SWEET GRASS.....	2	369.89	6	3,262.24	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
TETON.....	0	0.00	20	17,014.39	3	1,362.00	6	45.00	0	0.00
TOOLE.....	0	0.00	8	5,952.76	3	192.00	3	30.00	1	39.90
TREASURE.....	0	0.00	4	5,578.94	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
VALLEY.....	0	0.00	21	12,197.85	0	0.00	0	0.00	32	2,480.26
WHEATLAND.....	3	3,226.30	6	3,978.80	0	0.00	0	0.00	11	467.02
WIBAUX.....	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	105.63
YELLOWSTONE.....	14	13,521.59	204	256,548.38	1	48.00	7	2,285.00	46	981.05
INSTITUTIONS....	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
NOCO BREAKDOWN.	0	0.00	3	2,690.72	0	0.00	0	0.00	8	342.37
STATE TOTAL.....	74	70,637.97	1,839	1,916,402.00	324	19,086.00	285	28,487.83	1,736	80,637.96

TABLE 5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
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COUNTY	EPSDT		FEDERAL QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTER		MHO CAPITATION PAYMENTS		OTHER		MISCELLANEOUS	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD....	99	6,749.35	5	81.14	497	37,227.15	54	13,044.55	79	13,757.80
BIG HORN.....	163	11,631.89	14	576.00	1,700	115,794.67	122	51,923.10	104	15,160.87
BLAINE.....	97	12,949.61	1	76.81	1,047	65,101.33	43	19,969.96	80	18,573.15
BROADWATER....	59	4,940.59	6	830.91	282	16,555.02	50	19,005.86	46	9,919.40
CARBON.....	33	2,748.56	3	154.70	323	27,896.83	39	16,462.00	74	7,122.19
CARTER.....	9	1,160.49	0	0.00	60	4,350.99	33	8,520.12	6	339.09
CASCADE.....	928	64,791.35	44	7,443.54	5,515	401,669.07	1,125	269,179.97	1,434	233,944.98
CHOUTEAU.....	21	1,035.67	0	0.00	195	11,411.21	72	4,296.27	60	10,186.01
CUSTER.....	190	17,320.04	1	76.81	975	61,315.97	159	49,481.04	138	17,857.15
DANIELS.....	11	811.22	0	0.00	61	4,701.01	6	1,902.98	11	1,231.42
DAWSON.....	70	5,015.83	0	0.00	444	32,425.38	65	16,941.98	140	13,302.79
DEER LODGE....	146	10,063.75	30	711.26	914	63,234.41	115	29,895.25	124	15,365.16
FALLON.....	18	1,339.91	0	0.00	148	10,885.57	87	6,793.95	30	3,578.48
FERGUS.....	155	12,463.99	1	3.00	863	58,081.47	104	41,513.76	261	25,836.48
FLATHEAD.....	831	64,112.43	10	1,197.70	4,095	278,330.95	662	146,212.85	579	89,047.68
GALLATIN.....	417	33,811.20	2	223.80	1,897	137,380.97	222	114,245.55	207	30,548.56
GARFIELD.....	5	186.44	0	0.00	29	1,490.83	8	993.62	10	761.12
GLACIER.....	196	34,307.96	2	293.68	2,921	182,944.98	1,390	56,554.01	99	21,548.73
GOLDEN VALLEY..	6	412.12	1	75.35	50	3,063.57	20	138.49	3	95.80
GRANITE.....	27	1,665.69	3	18.00	175	12,267.34	17	2,756.04	19	3,641.82
HILL.....	215	15,773.34	0	0.00	1,716	112,675.22	147	62,219.31	155	25,569.73
JEFFERSON.....	81	7,684.54	8	250.20	491	37,231.52	58	16,214.73	71	5,266.26
JUDITH BASIN..	19	896.15	0	0.00	128	7,941.38	82	2,194.51	11	3,564.94
LAKE.....	524	36,674.40	332	74,955.68	2,550	169,887.30	272	102,313.04	261	51,533.30
LEWIS & CLARK..	655	58,278.27	215	25,146.37	3,260	232,461.76	891	133,661.94	369	64,038.04
LIBERTY.....	10	494.56	0	0.00	38	3,439.10	3	539.94	11	705.75
LINCOLN.....	252	19,860.14	0	0.00	1,629	117,243.87	630	53,375.42	193	34,692.70
MADISON.....	17	1,695.99	1	66.14	176	13,180.06	24	16,111.62	44	4,876.31
MCCONE.....	9	279.07	0	0.00	70	5,659.82	6	4,498.32	15	1,680.45
MEAGHER.....	10	963.21	0	0.00	106	7,910.52	75	3,299.74	18	1,287.32
MINERAL.....	61	5,042.78	0	0.00	403	27,814.20	50	12,243.28	34	3,647.17
MISSOULA.....	1,102	82,168.44	97	17,382.83	5,506	421,033.07	1,082	473,345.29	590	120,075.53
MUSSELSHELL...	39	3,883.79	13	558.50	276	17,544.43	151	27,691.61	55	9,061.54
PARK.....	132	9,979.29	27	3,053.59	686	55,652.23	97	47,007.29	116	16,561.11
PETROLEUM.....	3	113.28	0	0.00	16	1,091.18	9	19.65	3	578.08
PHILLIPS.....	49	5,588.02	0	0.00	359	22,540.38	220	16,241.15	47	9,972.86
PONDERA.....	78	4,432.90	0	0.00	685	42,338.50	73	14,278.93	75	37,269.41
POWDER RIVER..	5	986.31	0	0.00	60	2,921.73	5	717.09	7	165.69
POWELL.....	130	11,943.29	8	590.94	373	27,618.69	49	13,537.67	47	8,059.19
PRAIRIE.....	4	224.06	0	0.00	43	3,060.08	5	2,573.75	11	2,292.00
RAVALLI.....	381	32,472.21	4	297.75	1,718	140,884.68	372	178,243.29	275	55,943.02
RICHLAND.....	100	9,530.84	1	3.00	554	38,618.65	94	25,096.86	82	14,204.88
ROOSEVELT.....	222	16,528.30	7	597.04	2,637	149,680.59	855	42,594.12	132	22,992.34
ROSEBUD.....	68	5,387.77	2	81.35	991	71,774.41	68	34,540.48	61	10,938.78

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COUNTY	EPSDT		FEDERAL QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTER		MHO CAPITATION PAYMENTS		OTHER		MISCELLANEOUS	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	73	6,731.37	29	6,187.60	677	53,450.39	51	19,999.10	103	19,574.85
SHERIDAN.....	16	929.43	0	0.00	177	12,289.32	18	7,515.99	43	6,625.25
SILVER BOW.....	643	56,806.67	1,059	24,870.63	3,260	214,350.12	633	161,533.70	498	58,957.22
STILLWATER.....	38	2,687.84	6	921.57	277	18,547.90	32	14,628.10	43	3,972.82
SWEET GRASS.....	52	7,541.49	1	6.00	157	10,081.96	22	7,138.29	26	7,017.11
TETON.....	27	1,670.96	0	0.00	235	18,857.01	58	17,587.30	40	8,140.17
TOOLE.....	74	9,081.66	1	147.20	325	19,841.20	34	4,015.33	56	9,551.36
TREASURE.....	5	539.23	0	0.00	26	1,088.04	3	1,921.68	7	494.87
VALLEY.....	104	6,355.41	1	87.68	766	48,659.79	179	23,834.32	94	12,660.32
WHEATLAND.....	23	1,700.63	0	0.00	195	10,561.80	135	13,460.85	29	4,822.14
WIBAU.....	2	133.09	0	0.00	66	4,022.82	22	1,288.84	7	251.24
YELLOWSTONE....	1,501	148,596.64	715	50,868.55	7,741	572,923.69	870	356,502.13	2,062	276,851.80
INSTITUTIONS...	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
NOCO BREAKDOWN.	209	13,709.24	0	0.00	857	63,590.00	46	12,270.84	3	3,435.67
STATE TOTAL....	10,326	874,882.70	2,639	217,835.32	61,383	4,304,596.13	11,721	2,794,186.85	9,170	1,442,338.56

THE MISCELLANEOUS CATEGORY INCLUDES: HOME HEALTH, STERILIZATIONS, COINSURANCE & DEDUCTIBLE, HOSPICE, THERAPEUTIC GROUP HOMES, THERAPEUTIC FOSTER CARE, AND NURSING SPECIALIST CASE MANAGEMENT.

THE OTHER CATEGORY INCLUDES ALL OTHER MEDICAID SERVICES THAT ARE NOT BROKEN DOWN IN THE ABOVE TABLES.

TABLE 6 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY AND BY COUNTY

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COUNTY	AGED		FAMILY ADULTS		BLIND		CHILD		DISABLED	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
BEAVERHEAD.....	117	137,485.45	84	33,350.40	1	1,002.24	230	37,705.11	140	155,179.08
BIG HORN.....	143	174,178.39	381	57,801.97	2	2,577.19	1,034	139,627.84	282	243,097.14
BLAINE.....	93	95,754.50	227	53,183.11	6	2,687.35	608	76,401.80	166	105,393.57
BROADWATER.....	53	85,250.34	54	23,573.18	1	100.62	145	16,989.26	76	47,367.84
CARBON.....	104	145,639.58	31	10,324.30	1	253.82	116	17,846.75	133	87,713.11
CARTER.....	22	56,816.72	12	2,494.52	0	0.00	26	5,103.32	9	11,964.32
CASCADE.....	710	1,026,098.88	1,114	342,406.77	7	2,900.04	2,670	408,658.47	1,567	1,166,542.70
CHOUTEAU.....	56	104,583.18	28	6,834.09	0	0.00	84	6,381.23	65	146,154.30
CUSTER.....	162	268,285.19	250	60,024.59	0	0.00	469	148,442.25	275	172,707.51
DANIELS.....	22	24,186.35	8	1,057.33	0	0.00	25	4,956.71	16	10,784.80
DAWSON.....	106	152,904.37	65	19,839.79	1	193.94	189	38,987.46	146	95,504.22
DEER LODGE.....	107	152,736.21	222	63,983.64	2	128.79	441	60,187.35	258	156,434.18
FALLON.....	47	72,950.45	28	12,273.79	0	0.00	71	10,552.21	32	20,866.29
FERGUS.....	302	320,148.95	120	31,539.80	1	154.20	355	51,797.83	203	152,097.76
FLATHEAD.....	584	892,986.58	907	306,242.96	6	1,374.37	2,095	321,447.39	1,047	771,962.72
GALLATIN.....	202	348,892.18	477	89,409.98	2	1,707.82	1,032	114,707.66	448	360,849.05
GARFIELD.....	15	13,068.10	3	317.60	0	0.00	11	617.95	8	6,633.24
GLACIER.....	132	223,495.61	915	118,263.29	2	121.22	1,661	301,668.96	407	421,421.03
GOLDEN VALLEY..	7	3,593.40	12	3,937.37	0	0.00	34	3,748.68	6	2,475.42
GRANITE.....	30	38,783.48	37	9,729.18	0	0.00	92	10,918.06	43	21,908.77
HILL.....	175	395,037.47	369	110,529.95	4	789.97	1,007	168,990.85	335	345,262.55
JEFFERSON.....	77	102,556.28	76	16,851.66	1	145.48	224	26,763.80	185	129,227.05
JUDITH BASIN..	14	8,698.26	23	3,480.54	0	0.00	91	9,175.94	16	14,501.94
LAKE.....	230	260,357.62	691	207,145.29	1	108.02	1,428	237,026.95	561	577,226.72
LEWIS & CLARK..	276	411,922.56	772	269,030.61	1	74.20	1,658	310,546.93	972	681,626.40
LIBERTY.....	20	37,910.76	6	2,089.25	0	0.00	17	3,251.35	6	5,580.41
LINCOLN.....	208	284,823.30	391	148,433.56	2	2,254.40	805	105,458.96	440	498,451.78
MADISON.....	64	96,423.87	30	9,529.13	0	0.00	75	13,093.03	44	45,013.51
MCCONE.....	29	37,471.15	10	6,825.28	0	0.00	20	3,703.94	20	14,951.36
MEAGHER.....	22	38,756.05	16	10,480.79	0	0.00	53	8,703.59	25	21,895.52
MINERAL.....	32	70,134.14	112	26,411.28	0	0.00	211	25,439.57	91	42,557.90
MISSOULA.....	438	584,647.96	1,238	330,931.30	7	2,890.01	2,840	430,989.38	1,739	1,707,620.78
MUSSELSHELL...	60	90,990.04	49	13,691.84	1	783.30	126	21,575.42	79	161,246.48
PARK.....	133	146,909.85	134	38,386.97	0	0.00	312	42,258.34	238	217,019.51
PETROLEUM.....	5	1,717.17	2	101.97	0	0.00	10	1,024.29	1	2,927.74
PHILLIPS.....	57	83,822.12	53	7,862.88	0	0.00	181	62,119.81	105	95,013.30
PONDERA.....	89	142,679.42	167	28,277.09	0	0.00	385	46,413.48	111	80,849.00
POWDER RIVER...	28	43,564.50	10	4,677.73	0	0.00	24	9,403.44	5	9,751.40
POWELL.....	55	76,010.19	87	27,643.96	1	21.72	230	37,576.54	112	74,649.91
PRAIRIE.....	19	29,601.03	7	5,551.40	0	0.00	13	1,316.22	11	5,939.40
RAVALLI.....	265	413,209.60	329	120,689.43	1	458.00	893	132,620.80	504	553,024.31
RICHLAND.....	112	185,309.93	104	41,690.20	0	0.00	281	44,324.29	166	169,734.52
ROOSEVELT.....	125	185,041.69	807	170,961.99	0	0.00	1,599	208,208.95	273	211,814.31
ROSEBUD.....	62	100,782.81	213	22,863.85	1	650.76	631	65,779.81	180	170,524.89

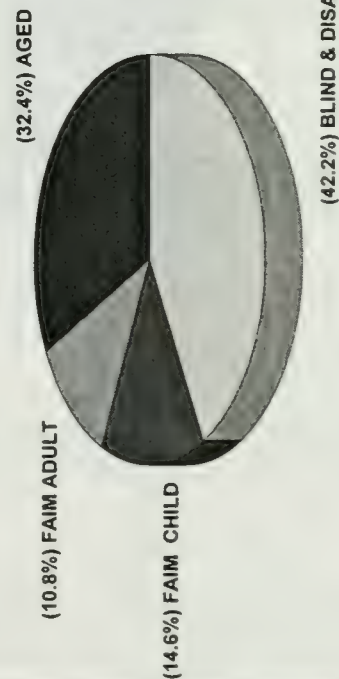
TABLE 6 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID), NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND
AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY AND BY COUNTY

AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	AGED		FAMILY ADULTS		BLIND		CHILD		DISABLED	
	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT	RECIP	AMOUNT
SANDERS.....	95	98,008.99	118	46,349.50	0	0.00	327	42,561.58	214	181,626.43
SHERIDAN.....	62	96,863.47	17	6,940.95	0	0.00	67	8,680.13	59	37,431.26
SILVER BOW.....	403	629,423.80	705	226,962.04	1	171.46	1,547	262,207.69	979	883,658.68
STILLWATER.....	79	146,442.80	41	11,079.61	0	0.00	124	15,931.21	72	51,516.87
SWEET GRASS.....	38	90,594.01	28	16,501.44	1	50.02	103	43,670.16	26	15,982.82
TETON.....	62	140,518.32	32	13,830.00	0	0.00	92	12,744.12	73	87,236.85
TOOLE.....	61	70,740.04	66	31,146.09	0	0.00	168	42,121.77	85	98,036.98
TREASURE.....	5	1,282.28	7	1,930.28	0	0.00	14	1,450.12	5	9,054.33
VALLEY.....	111	164,144.06	138	45,081.78	3	1,639.80	408	48,275.58	173	130,168.93
WHEATLAND.....	48	81,937.48	53	12,129.70	0	0.00	98	9,695.33	19	9,915.59
WYBAUX.....	25	57,618.28	8	1,204.21	0	0.00	25	3,282.93	11	7,101.76
YELLOWSTONE.....	912	1,333,836.32	1,538	459,586.63	13	29,415.63	4,081	625,220.99	1,978	1,958,616.09
INSTITUTIONS....	18	21,862.36	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	133	1,183,978.11
NOCO BREAKDOWN.	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	856	131,758.40	4	7,349.03
STATE TOTAL.....	7,480	11,099,487.89	13,299	3,743,263.90	68	52,654.42	32,087	5,040,111.98	15,066	14,655,141.47

THE CHILD CATEGORY IS COMPRISED OF AFDC, FOSTER CARE, RIBICOFF, POVERTY LEVEL INFANT, AND SUBSIDIZED ADOPTION CHILDREN.
RECIP COUNTS ARE UNDUPLICATED BY COUNTY AND BY STATE. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A RECIP MOVES BETWEEN COUNTIES, THE RECIP IS
COUNTED IN BOTH COUNTIES, BUT ONLY ONCE IN THE STATE TOTAL. GROSS ADJUSTMENTS OF \$206,843.81 ARE NOT SHOWN ON THIS TABLE.

Fiscal Year to Date Costs through August, 1998



Costs through August, 1997 and August, 1998

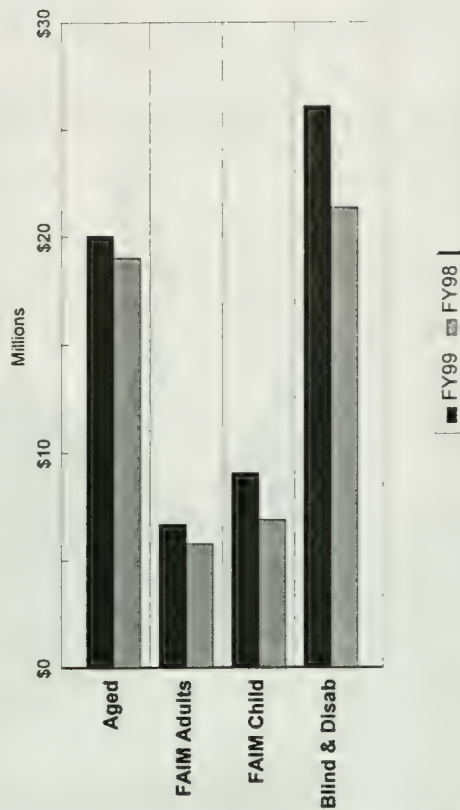


FIGURE 4

**FISCAL YEAR TO DATE THROUGH AUGUST, 1998
COST BY CATEGORY OF SERVICE**

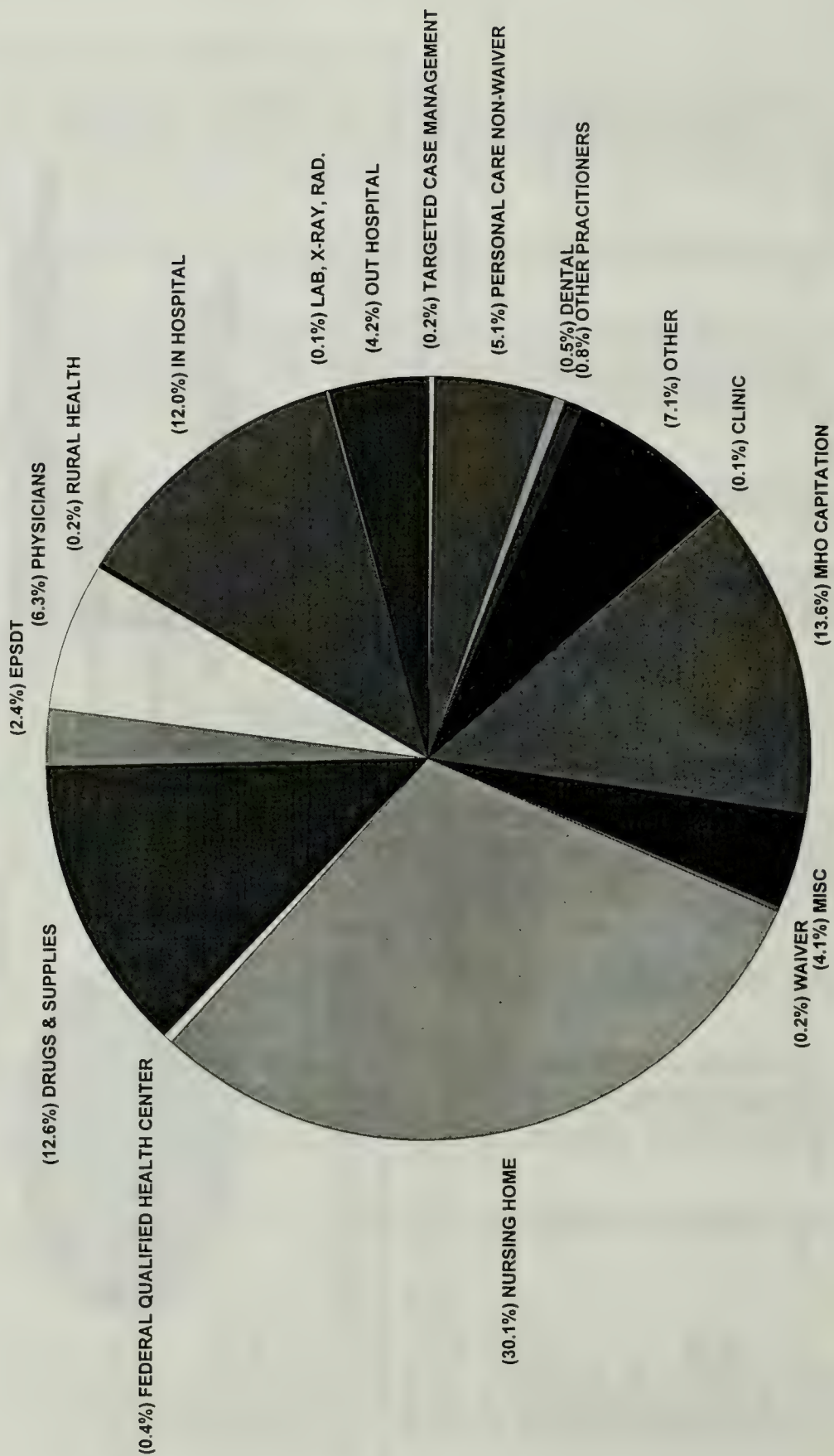


TABLE 7: PERCENT OF POPULATION RECEIVING FAMILIES ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE IN MONTANA (FAIM)
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND FOOD STAMPS (FS)

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	POPULATION	FAIM RECIPIENTS	FAIM PERCENT	FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS	FOOD STAMP PERCENT	COUNTY	POPULATION	FAIM RECIPIENTS	FAIM PERCENT	FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS	FOOD STAMP PERCENT
Beaverhead	9,012	17	0.19%	494	5.48%	Sanders	10,253	126	1.23%	663	6.47%
Big Horn	12,617	854	6.77%	2,268	17.98%	Sheridan	4,341	3	0.07%	131	3.02%
Blaine	7,081	538	7.60%	1,118	15.79%	Silver Bow	34,441	759	2.20%	3,208	9.31%
Broadwater	4,083	31	0.76%	251	6.15%	Stillwater	7,835	37	0.47%	234	2.99%
Carbon	9,425	29	0.31%	274	2.91%	Sweet Grass	3,400	12	0.35%	121	3.56%
Carter	1,503	0	0.00%	37	2.46%	Teton	6,340	11	0.17%	241	3.80%
Cascade	79,134	1,317	1.66%	5,383	6.80%	Toole	4,818	50	1.04%	275	5.71%
Chouteau	5,236	8	0.15%	125	2.39%	Treasure	839	8	0.95%	23	2.74%
Custer	12,115	152	1.25%	942	7.78%	Valley	8,295	192	2.31%	675	8.14%
Daniels	2,057	0	0.00%	38	1.85%	Wheatland	2,333	45	1.93%	156	6.69%
Dawson	9,048	52	0.57%	323	3.57%	Wibaux	1,106	3	0.27%	57	5.15%
Deer Lodge	9,995	218	2.18%	958	9.58%	Yellowstone	125,771	1,689	1.34%	7,281	5.79%
Fallon	3,035	18	0.59%	116	3.82%						
Fergus	12,498	36	0.29%	457	3.66%	State Total	878,810	15,788	1.80%	60,796	6.92%
Flathead	71,707	548	0.76%	3,972	5.54%						
Gallatin	61,111	299	0.49%	1,901	3.11%						
Garfield	1,444	0	0.00%	22	1.52%						
Glacier	12,687	1,639	12.92%	3,561	28.07%						
Golden Valley	1,051	7	0.67%	46	4.38%						
Granite	2,632	30	1.14%	198	7.52%						
Hill	17,538	558	3.18%	1,832	10.45%						
Jefferson	9,878	46	0.47%	346	3.50%						
Judith Basin	2,316	12	0.52%	93	4.02%						
Lake	25,341	919	3.63%	2,941	11.61%						
Lewis & Clark	53,251	828	1.55%	3,365	6.32%						
Liberty	2,391	2	0.08%	36	1.51%						
Lincoln	18,772	408	2.17%	1,844	9.82%						
Madison	6,899	14	0.20%	133	1.93%						
McCone	2,035	2	0.10%	44	2.16%						
Meagher	1,805	7	0.39%	86	4.76%						
Mineral	3,725	90	2.42%	415	11.14%						
Missoula	88,818	1,226	1.38%	5,481	6.17%						
Musselshell	4,605	30	0.65%	218	4.73%						
Park	15,949	79	0.50%	639	4.01%						
Petroleum	518	0	0.00%	12	2.32%						
Phillips	4,904	52	1.06%	360	7.34%						
Pondera	6,431	247	3.84%	676	10.51%						
Powder River	1,909	3	0.16%	47	2.46%						
Powell	7,072	65	0.92%	411	5.81%						
Prairie	1,335	11	0.82%	24	1.80%						
Ravalli	34,554	233	0.67%	1,710	4.95%						
Richland	10,191	24	0.24%	519	5.09%						
Roosevelt	11,121	1,738	15.63%	2,815	25.31%						
Rosebud	10,209	466	4.56%	1,200	11.75%						

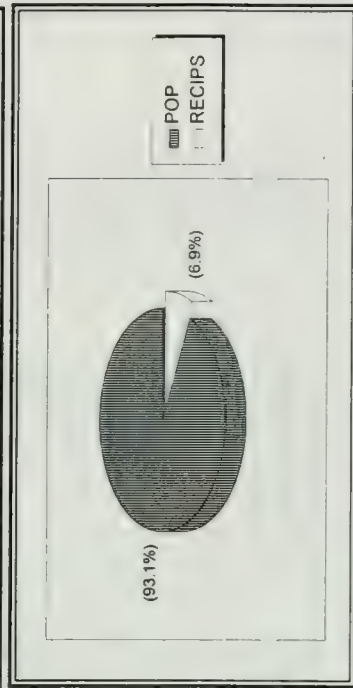
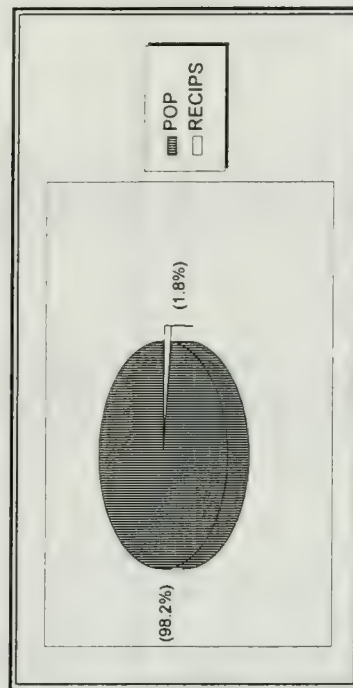


TABLE 8. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS AND VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED, BY COUNTY

AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	CASES	RECIPIENTS	PUB ASSIST	NON ASSIST	VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS	AVG PER CASE	AVG PER RECIPIENT
BEAVERHEAD.....	230	494	54	176	\$30,839	\$134.08	\$62.43
BIG HORN.....	655	2,268	58	597	\$152,069	\$232.17	\$67.05
BLAINE.....	336	1,118	29	307	\$75,401	\$224.41	\$67.44
BROADWATER.....	109	251	16	93	\$15,720	\$144.22	\$62.63
CARBON.....	136	274	44	92	\$16,876	\$124.09	\$61.59
CARTER.....	15	37	4	11	\$2,307	\$153.80	\$62.35
CASCADE.....	2,376	5,383	539	1,837	\$373,864	\$157.35	\$69.45
CHOUTEAU.....	52	125	18	34	\$7,586	\$145.88	\$60.69
CUSTER.....	454	942	111	343	\$63,389	\$139.62	\$67.29
DANIELS.....	22	38	5	17	\$1,889	\$85.86	\$49.71
DAWSON.....	144	323	32	112	\$21,004	\$145.86	\$65.03
DEER LODGE.....	455	958	99	356	\$65,134	\$143.15	\$67.99
FALLON.....	44	116	5	39	\$6,418	\$145.86	\$55.33
FERGUS.....	206	457	53	153	\$26,624	\$129.24	\$58.26
FLATHEAD.....	1,671	3,972	264	1,407	\$268,953	\$160.95	\$67.71
GALLATIN.....	795	1,901	140	655	\$131,900	\$165.91	\$69.38
GARFIELD.....	8	22	2	6	\$1,412	\$176.50	\$64.18
GLACIER.....	1,211	3,561	45	1,166	\$262,256	\$216.56	\$73.65
GOLDEN VALLEY.....	16	46	1	15	\$3,017	\$188.56	\$65.59
GRANITE.....	78	198	14	64	\$11,359	\$145.63	\$57.37
HILL.....	646	1,832	120	526	\$125,589	\$194.41	\$68.55
JEFFERSON.....	150	346	26	124	\$21,470	\$143.13	\$62.05
JUDITH BASIN.....	35	93	6	29	\$5,580	\$159.43	\$60.00
LAKE.....	1,010	2,941	89	921	\$224,220	\$222.00	\$76.24
LEWIS & CLARK.....	1,522	3,365	301	1,221	\$237,642	\$156.14	\$70.62
LIBERTY.....	13	36	0	13	\$2,159	\$166.08	\$59.97
LINCOLN.....	768	1,844	159	609	\$134,149	\$174.67	\$72.75
MADISON.....	68	133	11	57	\$7,843	\$115.34	\$58.97
MCCONE.....	16	44	3	13	\$2,749	\$171.81	\$62.48
MEAGHER.....	32	86	3	29	\$5,139	\$160.59	\$59.76
MINERAL.....	180	415	32	148	\$28,751	\$159.73	\$69.28
MISSOULA.....	2,559	5,481	673	1,886	\$398,841	\$155.86	\$72.77
MUSSELSHELL.....	112	218	24	88	\$14,530	\$129.73	\$66.65
PARK.....	307	639	73	234	\$40,095	\$130.60	\$62.75
PETROLEUM.....	3	12	0	3	\$323	\$107.67	\$26.92
PHILLIPS.....	151	360	36	115	\$24,311	\$161.00	\$67.53
PONDERA.....	225	676	38	187	\$43,089	\$191.51	\$63.74
POWDER RIVER.....	15	47	2	13	\$2,979	\$198.60	\$63.38
POWELL.....	174	411	31	143	\$26,251	\$150.87	\$63.87
PRAIRIE.....	11	24	1	10	\$2,100	\$190.91	\$87.50
RAVALLI.....	716	1,710	134	582	\$116,907	\$163.28	\$68.37
RICHLAND.....	231	519	61	170	\$31,369	\$135.80	\$60.44
ROOSEVELT.....	908	2,815	97	811	\$197,165	\$217.14	\$70.04
ROSEBUD.....	348	1,200	17	331	\$77,933	\$223.95	\$64.94

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AUGUST, 1998

COUNTY	CASES	RECIPIENTS	PUB ASSIST	NON ASSIST	VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS	AVG PER CASE	AVG PER RECIPIENT
SANDERS.....	275	663	51	224	\$48,304	\$175.65	\$72.86
SHERIDAN.....	71	131	21	50	\$7,069	\$99.56	\$53.96
SILVER BOW.....	1,479	3,208	350	1,129	\$219,638	\$148.50	\$68.47
STILLWATER.....	100	234	21	79	\$13,442	\$134.42	\$57.44
SWEETGRASS.....	47	121	7	40	\$6,772	\$144.09	\$55.97
TETON.....	114	241	27	87	\$14,370	\$126.05	\$59.63
TOOLE.....	121	275	33	88	\$15,918	\$131.55	\$57.88
TREASURE.....	12	23	2	10	\$1,293	\$107.75	\$56.22
VALLEY.....	273	675	69	204	\$42,490	\$155.64	\$62.95
WHEATLAND.....	54	156	9	45	\$9,244	\$171.19	\$59.26
WIBAUX.....	20	57	5	15	\$3,728	\$186.40	\$65.40
YELLOWSTONE.....	3,194	7,281	665	2,529	\$511,111	\$160.02	\$70.20
STATE TOTAL.....	24,973	60,796	4,730	20,243	\$4,202,580	\$168.28	\$69.13

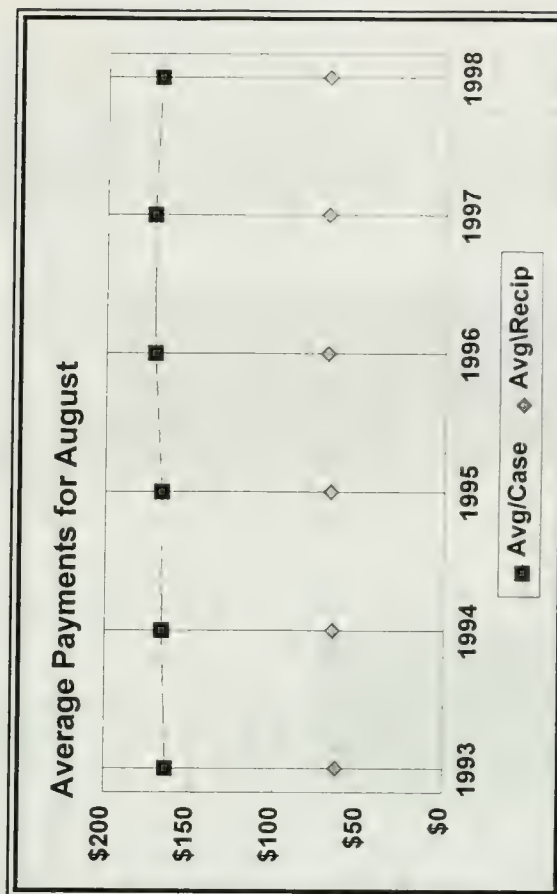
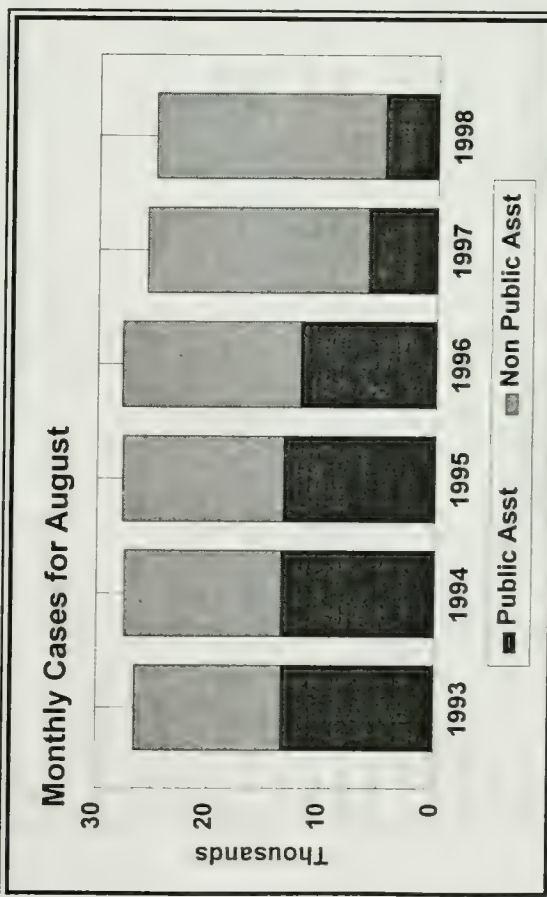


TABLE 9: DAY CARE KIDS AND EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY BY COUNTY FOR AUGUST 1998

COUNTY	CPS Non-FAIM			CPS FAIM			Block Grant FAIM			Block Grant Non-FAIM			County Total*		
	Kids	Amount		Kids	Amount		Kids	Amount		Kids	Amount		Kids	Amount	
Beaverhead	4	\$678					7	\$1,362		25	\$4,465		36	\$6,504	
Big Horn	3	\$1,484		3	\$656		13	\$1,971		17	\$2,651		36	\$6,762	
Blaine				1	\$142		9	\$2,006		23	\$5,509		33	\$7,657	
Broadwater	1	\$294											1	\$294	
Carbon	3	\$384											8	\$1,237	
Carter														\$0	
Cascade	4	\$1,032		30	\$4,932		209	\$43,641		431	\$90,231		674	\$139,835	
Chouteau														\$0	
Custer	4	\$685		5	\$731		46	\$9,743		114	\$26,011		169	\$37,171	
Daniels							1	\$125		2	\$227		3	\$352	
Dawson	3	\$192		6	\$834		16	\$4,093		19	\$3,432		44	\$8,551	
Deer Lodge	1	\$104		5	\$542		14	\$1,992		33	\$5,422		53	\$8,060	
Fallon							4	\$920		9	\$3,565		13	\$4,484	
Fergus	12	\$3,839		2	\$219		8	\$1,894		62	\$13,924		84	\$19,876	
Flathead	9	\$1,300		22	\$3,514		116	\$24,121		242	\$49,164		389	\$78,099	
Gallatin	11	\$1,854					76	\$16,383		188	\$41,947		275	\$60,184	
Garfield														\$0	
Glacier							32	\$5,732		41	\$10,141		73	\$15,873	
Golden Valley										2	\$221		2	\$221	
Granite	1	\$133		3	\$651		12	\$2,148		6	\$1,111		22	\$4,042	
Hill				8	\$1,169		35	\$5,215		81	\$15,920		124	\$22,303	
Jefferson				7	\$795		7	\$842		13	\$2,782		27	\$4,419	
Judith Basin							5	\$1,076		4	\$1,084		9	\$2,160	
Lake	7	\$782		5	\$1,383		56	\$10,488		44	\$8,969		112	\$21,621	
Lewis & Clark	10	\$2,755		16	\$3,199		102	\$23,197		110	\$22,995		238	\$52,145	
Liberty										7	\$1,509		7	\$1,509	
Lincoln	8	\$438		13	\$1,080		35	\$5,107		43	\$8,368		99	\$14,993	
Madison	3	\$408					3	\$377		7	\$1,399		13	\$2,184	
McCone										5	\$613		5	\$613	
Meagher										5	\$702		5	\$702	
Mineral							9	\$920		11	\$1,673		20	\$2,592	
Missoula	9	\$2,081		12	\$3,278		212	\$42,966		366	\$73,961		599	\$122,286	
Musselshell	3	\$645					2	\$305		7	\$1,415		12	\$2,365	
Park	8	\$510		2	\$336		17	\$3,445		42	\$9,510		69	\$13,801	
Petroleum														\$0	
Phillips	2	\$588								17	\$2,895		19	\$3,483	
Pondera				2	\$96		3	\$68		18	\$3,602		23	\$3,765	
Powder River										2	\$259		2	\$259	
Powell							1	\$176		15	\$3,163		16	\$3,339	
Prairie														\$0	
Ravalli	2	\$588					38	\$8,533		101	\$20,213		141	\$29,335	
Richland				1	\$73		16	\$1,784		39	\$7,236		56	\$9,093	
Roosevelt	7	\$1,491		5	\$755		5	\$637		15	\$1,985		32	\$4,868	
Rosebud							3	\$850		27	\$6,082		30	\$6,932	

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COUNTY	CPS Non-FAIM		CPS FAIM		Block Grant FAIM		Block Grant Non-FAIM		County Total*	
	Kids	Amount	Kids	Amount	Kids	Amount	Kids	Amount	Kids	Amount
Sanders	4	\$559	2	\$420	17	\$2,964	10	\$1,932	27	\$4,896
Sheridan	3	\$435	5	\$960	87	\$18,846	4	\$715	10	\$1,694
Silver Bow							147	\$29,524	242	\$49,765
Stillwater							2	\$94	2	\$94
Sweet Grass					1	\$96	4	\$872	5	\$968
Teton	2	\$192			2	\$359	13	\$2,685	17	\$3,236
Toole	1	\$189			15	\$3,769	17	\$4,477	33	\$8,434
Treasure					4	\$809			4	\$809
Valley	1	\$224			4	\$166	46	\$9,470	51	\$9,860
Wheatland			2	\$411			6	\$1,945	8	\$2,356
Wibaux			1	\$247					1	\$247
Yellowstone	55	\$13,407	7	\$1,593	316	\$62,125	455	\$97,479	833	\$174,604
State Total*	181	\$37,267	165	\$28,014	1,557	\$311,247	2,900	\$604,399	4,783	\$980,928

*Kid counts are unduplicated by county and by state totals.

This table can be downloaded from the Internet at: <http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/res/pubstat.htm>

Day Care Program Description:

Child Protective Services (CPS): Provide protection to children who have been abandoned, neglected or abused.

Block Grant: These services provide benefits to working families in need of financial help to pay for child day care services.

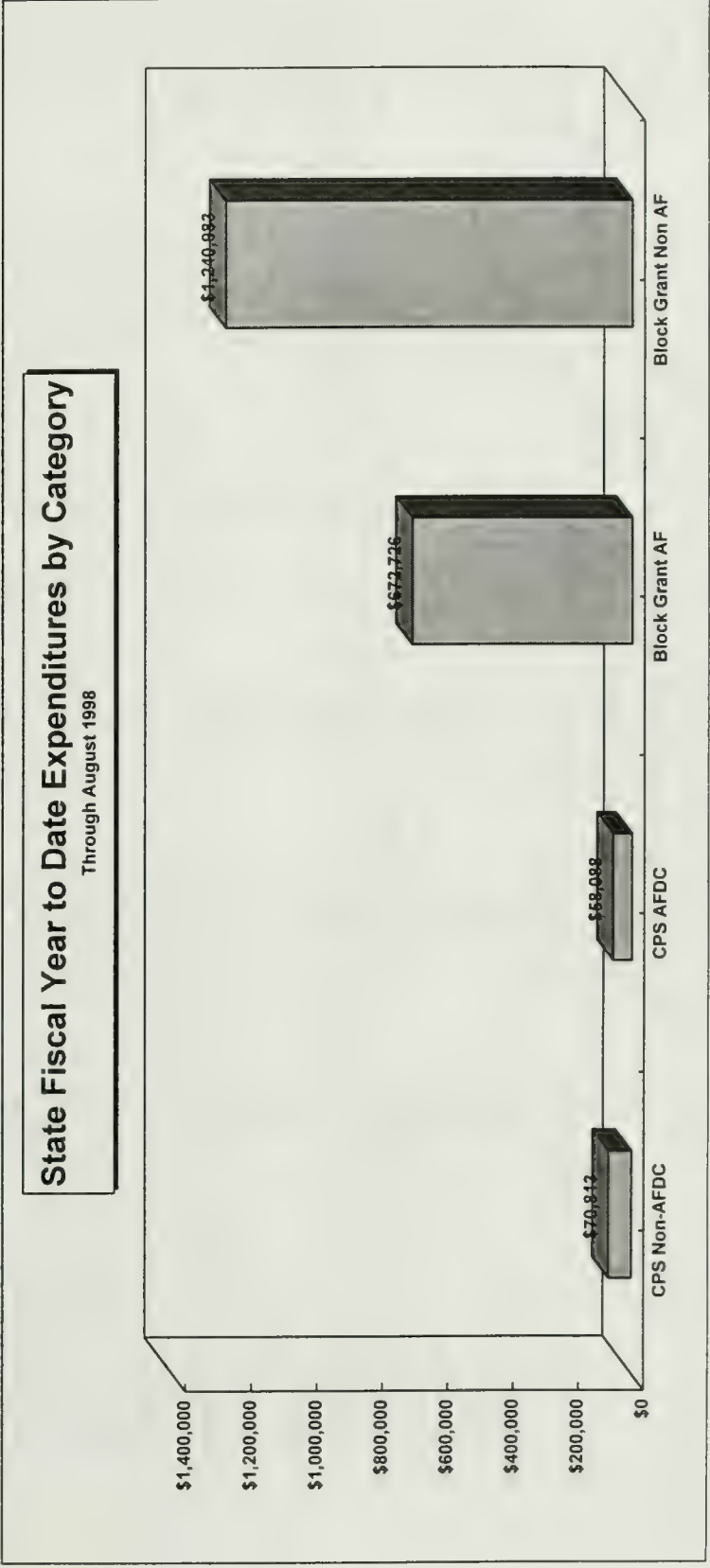


TABLE 10. LOW INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY

COUNTY	HEAT ASSIST CASES	OCTOBER 1, 1997 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1998			HEAT ASSIST PAYMENTS	HEAT ASSIST OBLIGATIONS
		RECIPIENTS	HANDICAPPED CASES	SENIOR CIT. CASES		
BEAVERHEAD.....	160	332	45	57	\$53,249.00	\$53,249.00
BIG HORN.....	333	1,151	63	59	\$143,771.00	\$143,771.00
BLAINE.....	133	327	28	34	\$48,300.00	\$48,300.00
BROADWATER.....	71	173	26	22	\$25,980.00	\$25,980.00
CARBON.....	119	235	40	48	\$31,975.00	\$31,975.00
CARTER.....	14	33	4	5	\$5,720.00	\$5,720.00
CASCADE.....	1,282	3,271	291	242	\$368,108.00	\$368,108.00
CHOUTEAU.....	58	163	22	14	\$20,356.00	\$20,356.00
CUSTER.....	212	501	69	58	\$69,364.00	\$69,364.00
DANIELS.....	20	44	2	10	\$6,739.00	\$6,739.00
DAWSON.....	120	297	29	39	\$38,873.00	\$38,873.00
DEER LODGE.....	279	664	77	64	\$100,183.00	\$100,183.00
FALLON.....	33	87	10	12	\$12,141.00	\$12,141.00
FERGUS.....	172	421	47	51	\$53,557.00	\$53,557.00
FLATHEAD.....	1,100	2,683	390	290	\$322,654.00	\$322,654.00
GALLATIN.....	468	1,276	121	77	\$169,511.00	\$169,511.00
GARFIELD.....	7	18	0	3	\$3,319.00	\$3,319.00
GLACIER.....	83	189	11	35	\$26,817.00	\$26,817.00
GOLDEN VALLEY..	13	38	3	3	\$4,673.00	\$4,673.00
GRANITE.....	49	135	10	12	\$16,779.00	\$16,779.00
HILL.....	410	1,086	104	67	\$145,438.00	\$145,438.00
JEFFERSON.....	146	335	51	49	\$49,005.00	\$49,005.00
JUDITH BASIN...	31	73	8	12	\$12,021.00	\$12,021.00
LAKE.....	396	981	145	111	\$142,220.00	\$142,220.00
LEWIS & CLARK..	983	2,546	306	135	\$347,604.00	\$347,604.00
LIBERTY.....	13	28	2	5	\$4,348.00	\$4,348.00
LINCOLN.....	666	1,673	254	152	\$219,299.00	\$219,299.00
MADISON.....	90	208	21	33	\$34,387.00	\$34,387.00
MCCONE.....	23	45	6	11	\$8,358.00	\$8,358.00
MEAGHER.....	35	76	5	13	\$12,854.00	\$12,854.00
MINERAL.....	151	364	29	30	\$55,968.00	\$55,968.00
MISSOULA.....	1,857	4,962	404	279	\$608,461.00	\$608,461.00
MUSSELSHELL...	82	194	26	24	\$27,972.00	\$27,972.00
PARK.....	271	702	82	49	\$96,066.00	\$96,066.00
PETROLEUM.....	5	13	0	2	\$2,299.00	\$2,299.00
PHILLIPS.....	96	195	35	41	\$28,282.00	\$28,282.00
PONDERA.....	140	332	51	44	\$47,010.00	\$47,010.00
POWDER RIVER...	10	27	3	4	\$4,110.00	\$4,110.00
POWELL.....	115	277	32	31	\$40,617.00	\$40,617.00
PRAIRIE.....	14	33	3	5	\$5,173.00	\$5,173.00
RAVALLI.....	602	1,528	119	155	\$201,241.00	\$201,241.00
RICHLAND.....	144	335	39	45	\$44,920.00	\$44,920.00
ROOSEVELT.....	44	101	8	16	\$16,500.00	\$16,500.00
ROSEBUD.....	60	181	15	14	\$21,467.00	\$21,467.00

TABLE 10. LOW INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY

COUNTY	OCTOBER 1, 1997 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1998					
	HEAT ASSIST CASES	RECIPIENTS	HANDICAPPED CASES	SENIOR CIT. CASES	HEAT ASSIST PAYMENTS	HEAT ASSIST OBLIGATIONS
SANDERS.....	202	478	82	67	\$64,308.00	\$64,308.00
SHERIDAN.....	39	64	11	18	\$12,273.00	\$12,273.00
SILVER BOW.....	1,202	2,879	326	257	\$411,335.00	\$411,335.00
STILLWATER.....	71	171	20	26	\$21,627.00	\$21,627.00
SWEET GRASS.....	22	49	5	12	\$6,217.00	\$6,217.00
TETON.....	110	267	47	41	\$36,485.00	\$36,485.00
TOOLE.....	108	268	48	31	\$33,662.00	\$33,662.00
TREASURE.....	10	19	3	7	\$4,111.00	\$4,111.00
VALLEY.....	105	238	34	38	\$31,667.00	\$31,667.00
WHEATLAND.....	32	73	10	12	\$8,520.00	\$8,520.00
WIBAUX.....	24	62	7	10	\$8,564.00	\$8,564.00
YELLOWSTONE.....	1,710	4,465	510	340	\$491,901.00	\$491,901.00
STATE TOTAL.....	*15,515	37,267	4,129	3,321	*\$5,060,628.25	*\$5,092,716.00

HANDICAPPED CASES: THOSE CASES WITH AT LEAST ONE HANDICAPPED PERSON IN THE HOUSEHOLD.
SENIOR CIT. CASES: THOSE CASES WITH AT LEAST ONE PERSON WHO IS OVER 59 YEARS OF AGE
IN THE HOUSEHOLD.

HEAT ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS: HEAT ASSISTANCE DOLLARS SPENT DURING REPORT PERIOD.
HEAT ASSISTANCE OBLIGATIONS: THE TOTAL HEAT ASSISTANCE DOLLARS OBLIGATED FOR CURRENT
CASES.

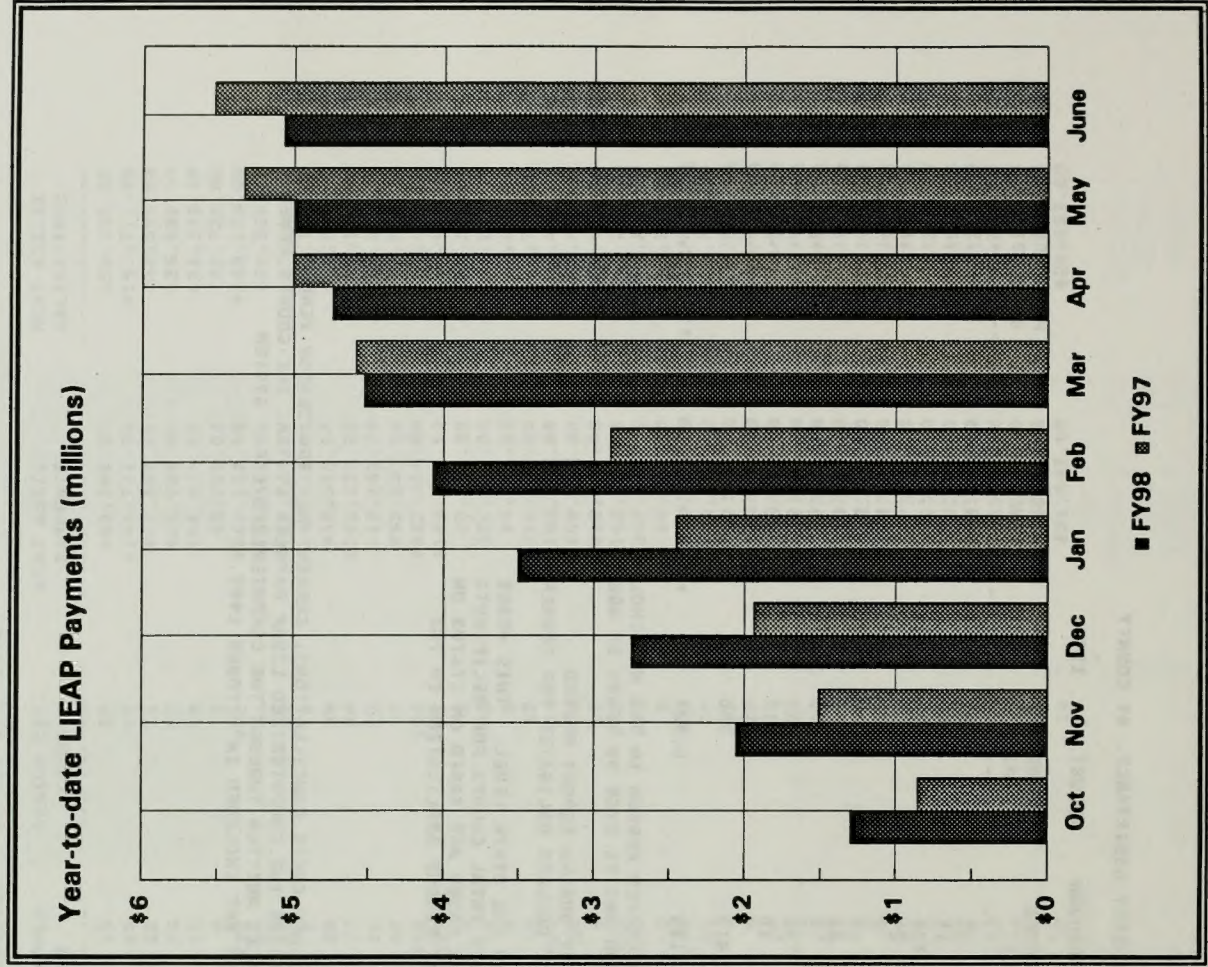
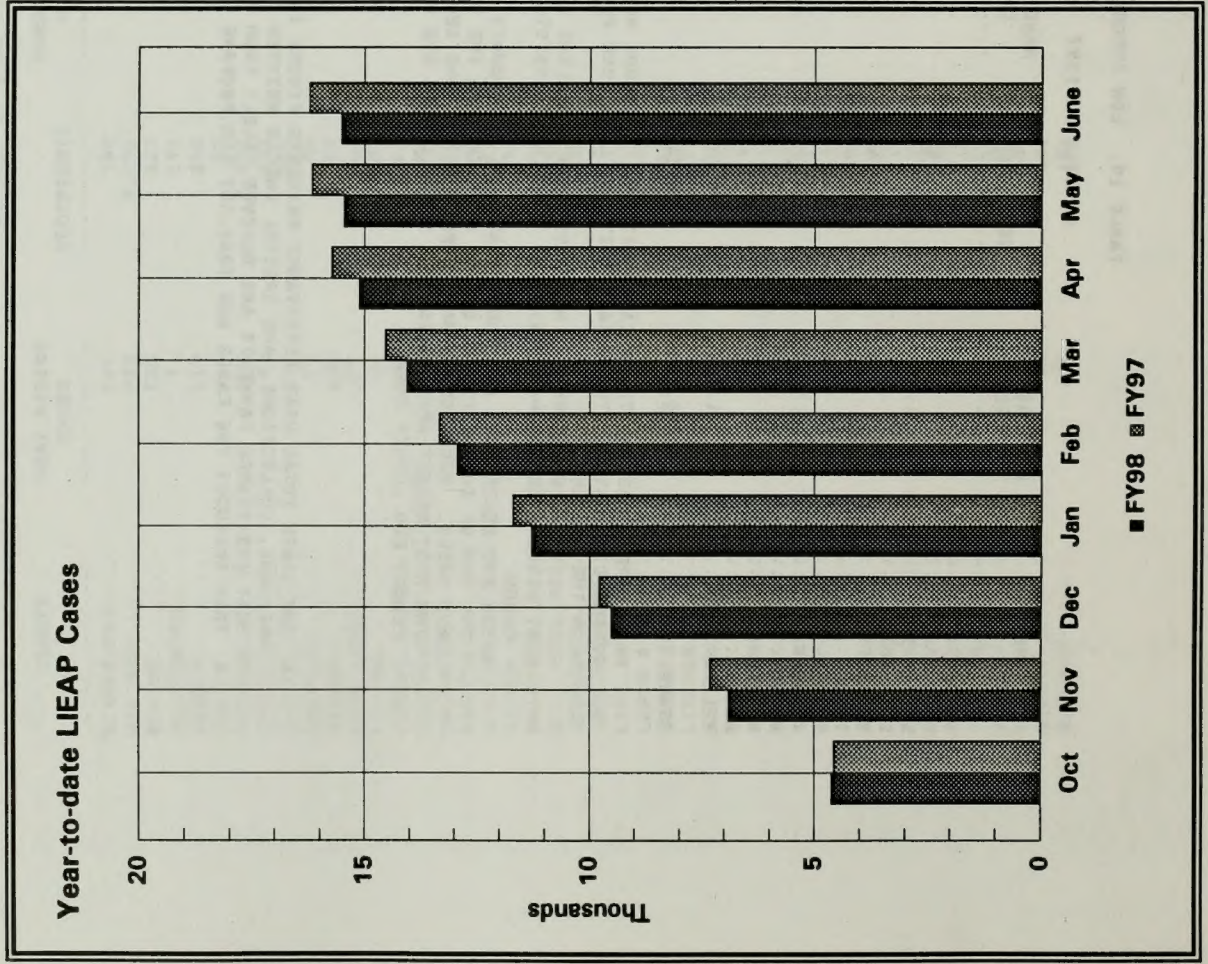
CASES AND RECIPIENTS ARE UNDUPLICATED AT THE COUNTY AND THE STATE LEVEL. THIS MEANS
THE SUM OF COUNTY COUNTS CAN BE GREATER THAN THE STATE TOTAL COUNTS FOR RECIPIENTS
AND CASES. RECIPIENTS, HANDICAPPED CASES, AND SENIOR CASES ARE BASED ON STATUS ON
THE MOST RECENT APPLICATION FOR STATE COUNTS AND MOST RECENT APPLICATION IN THE
COUNTY FOR COUNTY COUNTS.

* THE STATE TOTAL HEAT ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FIGURE INCLUDES CHECK CANCELLATIONS, CURRENT HEATING SEASON VENDOR
RETURNS, COLLECTIONS, AND SPECIAL CHECKS WRITTEN OUTSIDE THE COMPUTERIZED LIEAP PAYMENT SYSTEM. THE COUNTY LEVEL
HEAT ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS ARE DERIVED SOLELY FROM CHECKS WRITTEN THROUGH THE COMPUTERIZED LIEAP SYSTEM.

* THIS INCLUDES 796 CASES AND \$264,357 FOR PROPANE CASE NOT INCLUDED IN OCTOBER 1997.

LOW INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE STATE FISCAL YEAR, 1998

Figure 5





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